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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report describes statistical analyses of the data from the "104 Mill Study." This study was the result of a cooperative agreement between EPA and the U.S. paper industry. The purpose of the study was to characterize the 104 U.S. mills that practiced chlorine bleaching of chemically produced pulps in mid to late 1988. The scope of the study was developed by EPA and industry, and the study was managed by the National Council of the Paper Industry for Air and Stream Improvement, Inc. (NCASI), with EPA overview. The data collected included measurements of 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) concentrations in three export vectors (pulp, sludge, and effluent); and information on wastewater treatment, bleaching, and manufacturing processes. More information was available for kraft mills (155 bleach lines) than sulfite (18 bleach lines); therefore, some statistical findings are reported for only kraft mills. The statistical findings are:

1. The detected concentration values of TCDD/TCDF were best approximated by lognormal distributions, estimated separately for each of the export vectors: pulp, sludge, and effluent.
2. Analysis of field and laboratory duplicates indicated excellent agreement between duplicate measurements of TCDD/TCDF concentrations. As a consequence, analytical measurement variability is a very small portion of the total variability in the TCDD/TCDF data.
3. The reported detection levels for the non-detected measurements of TCDD/TCDF demonstrate that the target detection level of 10 parts per quadrillion (ppq) for effluent measurements is achievable.
4. Estimates of the daily total mass output rates of TCDD/TCDF at U.S. bleached pulp mills were 0.004 lbs/day for TCDD and 0.032 lbs/day for TCDF.

Output rates for individual mills varied substantially; however, the per mill averages were 0.00005 lbs of TCDD and 0.00048 lbs of TCDF exported daily in pulp, sludge, and treated effluent.

5. The relative amounts of TCDD/TCDF partitioned to each of the three export vectors (pulp, sludge, and effluent) were highly variable among mills.

6. Significantly more TCDD/TCDF was exported at kraft mills than sulfite mills.

7. Mills using Activated Sludge (ACT) wastewater treatment systems exported somewhat less effluent-based TCDD/TCDF mass on average and significantly more sludge-based TCDD/TCDF mass than mills using Aerated Stabilization Basins (ASB). The difference in sludge exports can be partially attributed to the fact that ACT sludge samples in the 104 Mill Study consisted of combined primary and secondary sludges. Those from ASB systems consisted only of primary sludge.

8. Total Suspended Solids (TSS) concentrations in ACT systems was found to be significantly higher than the TSS concentrations of ASB systems at kraft mills.

9. When ACT and ASB-type kraft mills were combined, a weakly correlated positive trend was observed between effluent TCDD/TCDF and TSS levels, and a weakly correlated negative trend was observed between TSS and sludge TCDD/TCDF. For kraft mills using only ACT treatment, higher TSS levels were associated with higher sludge-based TCDD/TCDF exports but lower effluent-based TCDD/TCDF exports.

10. Linear regressions of the TCDD/TCDF export rates fit to bleaching measures at each mill (including application rates of bleaching and chemical extraction agents) were found to be poor predictors of individual kraft mill outputs.

11. Greater chlorine usage in kraft mills was found to be statistically associated with higher formation rates of TCDD/TCDF.

12. Increased substitution of chlorine dioxide for chlorine in the C-stage of kraft mills was correlated with slight reductions in TCDD/TCDF formation.

13. Higher chlorine multiples during C-stage bleaching were weakly associated with higher TCDD/TCDF mass formation in kraft mills.

14. Kraft mills that used oxygen delignification in the bleaching process exhibited somewhat lower rates of TCDD/TCDF formation than mills that did not use such methods.

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I. INTRODUCTION

In October 1987, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the U.S. Pulp and Paper Industry jointly released preliminary results from a screening study that provided the first comprehensive results on the formation and discharge of chlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins (CDDs) and dibenzofurans (CDFs) from pulp and paper mills (1). This screening study of five bleached kraft mills ("Five Mill Study") confirmed that the pulp bleaching process was primarily responsible for the formation of CDDs and CDFs. The partitioning of these compounds between the bleached pulp, wastewater treatment sludge, and final wastewater effluent was found to be highly variable among the mills. The study results also indicated that 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) were the principal CDDs and CDFs formed. The final Five Mill Study report was published in March 1988 (2).

To provide EPA with more complete data on the release of these compounds by the U.S. paper industry, an agreement was reached in April 1988 between EPA and the industry to conduct a second study to characterize the 104 U.S. mills that practiced chlorine bleaching of chemically produced pulps (3). The scope of the study was developed by EPA and industry, and the study was managed by the National Council of the Paper Industry for Air and Stream Improvement, Inc. (NCASI), with EPA overview. The data from this study provided an estimate of the release of TCDD and TCDF in three environmental export vectors (i.e., bleached pulp, sludge, and effluent) from the U.S. Pulp and Paper Industry as of mid- to late 1988.

This section presents the major features of the study design, including the field sampling program, the analytical program, and data handling; and a profile of the industry at the time the study was conducted, comprising pulping and bleaching characteristics, bleach line chemical usage during sampling, and wastewater treatment.

The remainder of the report provides details of the statistical analyses and study results, and consists of the following sections:

- Section 2, summary of the findings.
- Section 3, characterization of the TCDD/TCDF concentration data
- Section 4, analysis of duplicate samples
- Section 5, partitioning of TCDD/TCDF mass rates into mill exports
- Section 6, analysis of total suspended solids
- Section 7, modeling of TCDD/TCDF formation in terms of mill operating parameters

A listing of the data used in the analyses is also provided in appendix A. This report and a separate summary document were prepared independently by EPA. The paper industry, through NCASI, has also prepared a report of the 104 Mill Study (4). Preliminary study results were presented by EPA and NCASI in September 1989 (5) and will be published in Chemosphere. This report includes data received by EPA from NCASI as of April 1990 and comprises more than 98 percent of the data required by the study objectives.

When reviewing the study results, it is important to keep in mind that the principal objective of the 104 Mill Study was to characterize exports from the 104 mills in terms of TCDD and TCDF. The study was not designed to address mechanisms of formation of these compounds or to determine the best technologies for treating these compounds in wastewaters. Nonetheless, the study results permit some useful observations in these areas as well.

1.1 STUDY FEATURES

All U.S. pulp and paper mills where chemically produced wood pulps are bleached with chlorine and chlorine derivatives were included in the Agreement for the 104 Mill Study (3). Although mills included in the Five Mill Study were not resampled for the 104 Mill Study, TCDD/TCDF data and mill operating and wastewater treatment information from the Five Mill Study have been included in

this analysis. Consolidated Paper independently conducted a study at its Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin mill. Due to differences in sampling and analytical protocols, the data for TCDD/TCDF from this mill were not included. However, mill characteristics and wastewater treatment information for Consolidated Paper are included in the industry profile presented in subsection 1.2.

1.1.1 Field Sampling Program

The Agreement for the 104 Mill Study required that each significant export vector (fully bleached pulp, wastewater sludge, and final wastewater effluent) be sampled and that the samples be composited over a 5-day period (3). In most cases, the composite samples consisted of up to eight aliquots obtained throughout the sampling day. Nearly all sampling was performed by mill personnel following guidance established by NCASI. In a few cases, NCASI personnel conducted the sampling. The sampling protocols closely followed those established for the Five Mill Study (2).

The pulp samples taken were of the highest brightness pulp produced at each bleach line. At mills with two bleach lines where hardwood and softwood pulps are bleached separately, separate hardwood and softwood composite pulp samples were collected. At mills with a single bleach line where both hardwood and softwood pulps are bleached (i.e., a swing line), sampling was conducted intermittently to ensure that the 5-day composite samples were composed only of hardwood or softwood pulp. A few bleach lines processed mixtures of hardwood and softwood pulps. The composite samples from these lines were classified by the percent of softwood pulp in the mixture.

Sludge samples consisted only of those sludges removed from the wastewater treatment system and disposed of in landfills, by incineration, or by other methods. For mills with Activated Sludge Wastewater Treatment (ACT), the sludge samples generally consisted of combined primary and secondary sludge; for mills with Aerated Stabilization Basins (ASB), only primary sludges were sampled. In most cases, the sludges were dewatered prior to offsite disposal; however, several primary sludges were collected in a low consistency slurry form.

More than 90 sampled effluents were collected from mills with biological treatment. For eight mills, the samples consisted of partially treated effluents prior to discharge to municipal wastewater treatment plants. Two mills with direct ocean discharges provided samples of untreated effluents. Another untreated effluent was sampled at a mill that used a percolation pond for wastewater disposal.

This sampling scheme generated over 400 samples for isomer-specific TCDD and TCDF analyses. About 80 additional samples were collected as part of the quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC) plan. These samples were analyzed as field duplicates and/or included in native spike determinations. The data is listed in Appendix A. In addition, mill operators were required to provide process operating data for bleacheries and wastewater treatment plants. These data were collected to document operation of the processes at the time of sampling.

I.1.2 Analytical Program

The Brehm Laboratory at Wright State University (WSU), Dayton, Ohio, performed analytical methods development work for isomer-specific determinations of TCDD and TCDF in pulp and paper mill matrices and completed analyses of all samples for the Five Mill Study (2). Analytical work for the present study was conducted by Enseco-California Analytical Laboratories (CAL) in West Sacramento, California, and WSU. Enseco-CAL conducted most of the sludge and effluent analyses, while WSU analyzed most of the pulp samples.

The analytical methods used in the 104 Mill Study were consistent with the screening study protocols established for the Five Mill Study (2). Analytical objectives for target detection levels for TCDD and TCDF were 1 ng/kg (parts per trillion [ppt]) for sludges and pulps, and 0.01 ng/kg (ppt) for wastewater effluents. The Agreement specified identification and quantitation criteria for TCDD/TCDF and required that NCASI manage QA/QC programs for the study. NCASI staff performed and coordinated sample preparation, submitted samples to the analytical laboratory, and reviewed laboratory data reports. Nearly all analytical results met the QA/QC objectives established for the study. Several

samples required re-analysis to obtain valid data; however, the proportion of such samples was less than 6 percent of the total.

1.1.3 Data Handling

To ensure consistent reporting of bleach plant and wastewater treatment information, NCASI developed specific forms for mill personnel to report bleach line operating characteristics, bleach line chemical applications, and wastewater treatment operations. Copies of these forms, as well as schematic diagrams of the bleacheries and wastewater treatment facilities, were provided to EPA by NCASI for most mills. For those few mills which requested confidential treatment of certain data, the forms were submitted directly to EPA by mill operators. NCASI submitted final analytical results to EPA as they were developed in conformance with the QA/QC protocols specified in the Agreement (3).

EPA and NCASI independently developed data summaries in spreadsheet format to characterize bleach line operating characteristics; mass flow rates of bleached pulp, wastewater sludge, and wastewater effluent; and mass flows of TCDD and TCDF estimated in mill exports. The respective spreadsheet entries were compared several times and corrections made as appropriate. Prior to conducting detailed statistical analyses, EPA had a contractor further compare the spreadsheets against the original report forms. All discrepancies were resolved and the spreadsheets updated. New databases were then created by uploading the data from the spreadsheets to the EPA mainframe computer.

1.2 INDUSTRY PROFILE

At the time the 104 Mill Study field program was underway (mid- to late 1988 for most mills), the U.S. Pulp and Paper Industry was characterized by limited application of those pulping and bleaching practices demonstrated to have the potential to reduce formation of TCDD/TCDF. Since that time, many mill operators have initiated programs to institute improved pulping and bleaching technologies and operating practices. This industry profile, however, does not reflect any changes made by U.S. paper mills since the end of 1988.

1.2.1 Pulping and Bleaching

Tables 1-1 and 1-2 present the industry profile for pulping and bleaching of those mills included in the study. This segment of the U.S. industry comprises 86 kraft pulping mills, 16 sulfite mills, 1 soda mill, and 1 mill with both kraft and sulfite pulping. More than half of the bleach lines at kraft mills are used for bleaching softwoods exclusively and 40 percent for bleaching hardwoods. The balance of the bleach lines are either swing lines or used to bleach hardwood/softwood pulp mixtures. For sulfite mills, half the bleach lines are used for softwood pulps, nearly 40 percent for hardwood pulps, and the balance for mixed pulps.

1.2.2 Bleach Line Chemical Usage

Table 1-3 summarizes the number and percentage of bleach lines with oxygen delignification systems and other chemical usage in pre-bleaching and final bleaching. The data were provided by mill operators during the sampling surveys. During that period, the industry was characterized by low utilization of oxygen delignification, relatively low utilization of oxygen reinforced extraction, low utilization of peroxide reinforced extraction, and relatively high utilization of hypochlorite in both pre-bleaching and final bleaching.

The status of bleachary operations in the U.S. industry in mid- to late 1988 with respect to chlorine usage and chlorine dioxide substitution is summarized in Table 1-4. Note that about 35 percent of the kraft mill bleach lines were operated with no chlorine dioxide in the C-Stage, and less than 2 percent of the kraft mill bleach lines had chlorine dioxide substitution rates greater than 50 percent.

Table 1-5 presents a summary of chlorine multiples (Kappa factor), determined for kraft and sulfite bleach lines at the time of sampling. The chlorine multiple is the ratio of the amount of active chlorine used in pulp bleaching in the C-Stage to the amount of lignin contained in brownstock or oxygen delignified pulp as characterized by the Kappa number. Eleven percent

TABLE 1-1. INDUSTRY PROFILE - PULPING

Type	Number of Mills
Kraft	86
Sulfite	16
Kraft and Sulfite	1
Soda	1
Total	104

TABLE 1-2. INDUSTRY PROFILE - BLEACHING

Woodtype	Number of Bleach Lines		
	Kraft	Sulfite	Soda
Hardwood	67	7	1
Softwood	89	9	-
Mixed HW/SW	9	2	-
Total	165	18	1

Note: Kraft hardwood and softwood bleach line data include 14 swing lines counted as both hardwood and softwood lines.

TABLE 1-3. INDUSTRY PROFILE - BLEACH LINE CHEMICAL USAGE

<u>Chemical Usage</u>	<u>Number of Bleach Lines (%)</u>		
	<u>Kraft</u>	<u>Sulfite</u>	<u>Soda</u>
Oxygen Delignification	7 (4.2)	- (0)	- (0)
Pre-bleaching			
C-Stage Cl ₂	165 (100)	16 (89)	1 (100)
C-Stage ClO ₂	105 (64)	1 (5.6)	1 (100)
E-Stage O ₂	78 (47)	4 (22)	1 (100)
E-Stage NaOCl	47 (28)	1 (5.6)	- (0)
E-Stage H ₂ O ₂	2 (1.2)	1 (5.6)	- (0)
Final Bleaching			
ClO ₂	147 (89)	4 (22)	1 (100)
NaOCl	90 (55)	14 (78)	- (0)
H ₂ O ₂	25 (15)	1 (5.6)	- (0)

TABLE 1-4. STATUS OF U.S. BLEACHERY OPERATIONS: C-STAGE
CHLORINATION AND CHLORINE DIOXIDE SUBSTITUTION

Kraft Mill Bleach Lines

<u>Chlorine Application</u>		<u>ClO₂ Substitution</u>	
<u>Lbs Cl₂/Ton ADBSP</u>	<u>Bleach Lines</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Bleach Lines</u>
< 40	15	0	59
40-60	22	< 5	16
60-80	32	5-10	41
80-100	36	10-20	33
100-120	28	20-30	9
120-140	16	30-40	1
> 140	16	40-50	3
		50-60	1
		60-70	1
		> 70	1
TOTAL	165		TOTAL 165

Sulfite Mill Bleach Lines

< 40	2	0	17
40-60	1	< 5	1
60-80	2	> 5	0
80-100	6		
100-120	3		
120-140	4		
> 140	0		
TOTAL	18		TOTAL 18

Notes: Bleachery operations for swing lines were counted twice,
separately for hardwood and softwood pulps.

ADBSP - Air-dried brownstock pulp.

TABLE 1-5. C-STAGE CHLORINE MULTIPLE (KAPPA FACTOR)

<u>Chlorine Multiple</u>	<u>Number of Bleach Lines</u>	
	<u>Kraft</u>	<u>Sulfite</u>
< 0.10	4	2
0.10 - < 0.15	15	1
0.15 - < 0.20	51	6
0.20 - < 0.25	54	3
0.25 - < 0.30	17	-
> 0.30	14	6
TOTAL	155	18

Notes: Chlorine multiple was computed from active chlorine (Cl_2 and ClO_2) applied in the C-Stage. Chlorine multiples could not be computed for 10 kraft mill bleach lines because of incomplete data.

of the sampled bleach lines were operated with average chlorine multiples less than 0.15.

1.2.3 Wastewater Treatment

The status of wastewater treatment provided at the 104 paper mills is summarized in Table 1-6. The industry standard consists of primary treatment followed by secondary biological treatment. Eight mills discharge to publicly owned treatment works (POTWs) after primary treatment, and two have no treatment. Wastewaters from one mill are disposed of in a percolation pond. About 35 percent of kraft mills have ACT and more than half have ASB. For sulfite mills, nearly 70% have ACT while almost 20% use ASK.

TABLE 1-6. INDUSTRY PROFILE - WASTEWATER TREATMENT

<u>Treatment Type</u>	<u>Number of Mills</u>			
	<u>Kraft</u>	<u>Sulfite</u>	<u>Soda</u>	<u>Total</u>
ACT	32	11	-	43
ASB	45	3	1	49
Discharge to POTW	7	1	-	8
Discharge to Other Mill WWTP	-	1	-	1
Percolation Pond	1	-	-	1
No Treatment	2	-	-	2
TOTAL	87	16	1	104

Note: The mill with kraft and sulfite pulping was listed as a kraft mill for purposes of this table.

2. SUMMARY OF STATISTICAL FINDINGS

The following discussion summarizes the statistical findings from the 104 Mill Study of U.S. bleached pulp mills. The conclusions are necessarily limited in scope, due to the design of the study. More information was available for kraft mills than sulfite; therefore, some statistical findings are reported only for kraft mills. The results do provide, though, the basis for several useful observations.

2.1 CHARACTERIZING TCDD/TCDF CONCENTRATION DATA

Examination of the laboratory analyses of samples collected at each mill indicated that the detected concentration values of 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) were best approximated by lognormal distributions, estimated separately for each of the export matrices -- pulp, sludge, and effluent. A number of non-detected measurements were also reported in the data. Analysis of the mass formation rates of TCDD/TCDF required that values be associated with these non-detects. For the purposes of this study, such measurements were assigned a value equal to half the detection level.

This step allowed non-detect samples to be used in a reasonable and consistent manner without distorting the basic findings: (1) the vast majority of all samples had detectable concentrations, with only 15 percent of all TCDD samples and 4 percent of TCDF samples reported as non-detects; (2) the ratio of detectable levels of TCDF to TCDD was fairly consistent from mill to mill, yet less than 4 percent of all the samples were reported as non-detects for both TCDD and TCDF; (3) every mill was found to have detectable levels of TCDD/TCDF in at least one of the export vectors.

Setting non-detect values to half the detection level also represented a compromise between underestimation (assigning non-detect values to zero) and overestimation (assigning non-detect values to the detection level), of the unknown actual concentrations.

2.2 VARIABILITY IN DUPLICATE SAMPLE ANALYSES

Approximately 30 percent of all the samples were classified as field sample duplicates or lab duplicate splits. Analysis of these duplicate samples for each matrix (effluent, pulp, and sludge) indicated excellent agreement between duplicate measurements of TCDD/TCDF concentrations. Most sample correlations between pairs of duplicate measurements were found to be above 0.95. Consequently, the proportion of total variability in TCDD/TCDF levels that could be attributed to field sampling protocol or analytical technique was in all cases small relative to other sources of variation. In the worst case observed, analytical measurement error was still less than 12 percent of the total variability in TCDF concentrations.

2.3 DETECTION LEVELS FOR NON-DETECTED MEASUREMENTS

The reported detection levels for non-detected measurements of TCDD/TCDF demonstrate that the laboratories were capable of achieving the target detection levels of 10 parts per quadrillion (ppq) for effluent measurements.

2.4 TOTAL MASS FORMATION ESTIMATES OF TCDD/TCDF

By combining the TCDD/TCDF concentration data with mill production rates of pulp, sludge, and effluent, rates of TCDD/TCDF mass formation were computed for the export matrices at each mill. Estimates of the daily total mass output rates of TCDD/TCDF at U.S. bleached pulp mills were 0.004 lbs/day for TCDD and 0.032 lbs/day for TCDF. Output rates for individual mills varied substantially; however, the per mill averages were 0.00005 lbs of TCDD and 0.00048 lbs of TCDF exported daily in pulp, sludge, and treated effluent.

2.5 VARIABILITY IN PARTITIONING OF TCDD/TCDF TO DIFFERENT EXPORT MATRICES

The relative amounts of TCDD/TCDF partitioned to pulp, sludge, or effluent vectors were not found to be consistent from mill to mill, but highly variable. While some mills partitioned less than 10 percent of their total TCDD/TCDF mass to effluent, effluent-based TCDD/TCDF accounted for more than 80 percent of the

exports at other mills. The variability in partitioning of pulp and sludge export vectors was similar. Among the least extreme cases (middle 50 percent of all mills), the relative percentage of TCDD/TCDF exported to specific matrices differed by more than 30 percent from mill to mill.

2.6 DIFFERENCES DUE TO PULPING AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT

Comparisons showed that significantly more TCDD/TCDF was exported at kraft mills than sulfite mills for each matrix type. Differences also emerged between wastewater treatment types Aerated Stabilization Basins (ASB) and Activated Sludge Wastewater Treatment (ACT). There was evidence that mills using ACT exported somewhat less effluent-based TCDD/TCDF mass on average and significantly more sludge-based TCDD/TCDF mass than mills using ASB systems. The difference in sludge exports can be partially attributed to the fact that ACT sludge samples in the 104 Mill Study consisted of combined primary and secondary sludges. Those from ASB systems consisted only of primary sludge.

2.7 RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN WASTEWATER TREATMENT AND TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS

Further investigation was made of the relationships between TCDD/TCDF mass exports in sludge and effluent vectors, wastewater treatment types, and levels of total suspended solids (TSS) from kraft mills. When ACT and ASB-type kraft mills were combined, a weakly correlated positive trend was observed between effluent TCDD/TCDF and TSS levels, and a weakly correlated negative trend was observed between TSS and sludge TCDD/TCDF. For kraft mills using only ACT treatment, higher TSS levels were associated with higher sludge-based TCDD/TCDF exports but lower effluent-based TCDD/TCDF exports.

2.8 RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN TCDD/TCDF FORMATION AND MILL OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS

When the effects of mill bleaching procedures upon TCDD/TCDF formation in kraft mills were analyzed, correlations between mass export rates of TCDD/TCDF and a series of mill parameters, including application rates of bleaching and extraction chemical agents, were generally low. Consequently, linear regressions

of the TCDD/TCDF export rates fit to bleaching measures at each mill were found to be poor predictors of individual mill outputs.

2.9 EFFECTS OF CHLORINE APPLICATION IN PRE-BLEACHING

Significant positive trends were observed between average TCDD/TCDF formation in kraft mills and the rate of application of chlorine (Cl_2) in the C-Stage bleaching process. Greater chlorine usage was thus found to be statistically associated with higher formation rates of TCDD/TCDF. It was also found that increased substitution of chlorine dioxide for chlorine in the C-Stage was correlated with slight reductions in TCDD/TCDF formation. Lack of chlorine dioxide use at high rates of substitution during the study sampling period precluded more detailed analysis of the impact of chlorine dioxide (ClO_2) substitution.

2.10 EFFECT OF THE CHLORINE MULTIPLE

Variables measuring the chlorine multiple (also known as the Kappa factor) during C-stage bleaching were positively associated with TCDD/TCDF mass formation in kraft mills, though the resulting correlations were fairly weak. These results imply that on average, when accounting for lignin content, greater use of chlorine in the C-stage was linked weakly to higher formation of TCDD/TCDF.

2.11 USE OF OXYGEN IN THE BLEACHING PROCESS

Kraft mills that used oxygen delignification in the bleaching process exhibited somewhat lower rates of TCDD/TCDF formation than mills that did not use such methods. The same mills, however, also tended to have high substitution rates of ClO_2 for Cl_2 , so it is not clear whether the lower export rates of TCDD/TCDF observed at these mills were attributable to oxygen delignification, chlorine dioxide substitution, or some combination of both.

2.12 DIFFERENCES IN WOOD TYPES

Larger amounts of chlorine were generally applied to softwood pulps than to hardwood pulps per ton of pulp processed in kraft mills, and the average Kappa numbers of softwood pulps were significantly higher than those of hardwood pulps. These findings are consistent with known differences in bleaching practices for hardwood versus softwood pulps.

3. CHARACTERIZATION OF THE TCDD/TCDF CONCENTRATION DATA

This section characterizes the laboratory data reported to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) concerning the concentration levels of 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) found in samples of pulp, sludge, and effluent collected as part of the 104 Mill Study. The reported data were examined for distributional properties and skewness and fit to appropriate probability distributions. The sensitivity of subsequent analyses to non-detected measurements was assessed. Attempts were made to handle non-detected samples in a reasonable and consistent manner that would not distort the basic findings.

After examining the raw concentrations, the appropriateness of fitting TCDD and TCDF values to separate lognormal distributions was investigated. Only detected concentration values were examined for distributional fit. Approximately 15 percent of all the TCDD analyses and 4 percent of the TCDF analyses were recorded as non-detects. The detection levels for these non-detected measurements are summarized in Table 3-1.

3.1 VARIABILITY IN DETECTION LEVELS

The variation in detection levels reported for non-detects (Table 3-1) can be attributed to several sources. Reliable measurement of TCDD/TCDF levels is matrix-dependent, a fact reflected in the analytical detection level targets for effluent samples, which were different from the targets for pulp and sludge. In addition, the presence of other compounds can make identification of TCDD/TCDF difficult without dilution of the sample, leading to detection levels that can be sample-specific.

The Enseco-California Analytical Laboratory (CAL) and the Wright State University (WSU) lab each analyzed at least some samples from every matrix. Almost 80 percent of the pulp samples were analyzed at WSU, while 89 percent of the effluent samples and 81 percent of the sludge samples were handled by CAL. Since these laboratories used somewhat different clean-up and routine handling

TABLE 3-1. DETECTION LEVELS FOR NON-DETECT SAMPLES

<u>Pulp Non-Detects (ppt)</u>	<u>TCDD</u>	<u>TCDF</u>
N of Cases	39	11
Minimum	0.100	0.100
Maximum	4.900	6.800
Mean	0.667	1.218
Standard Dev.	0.805	1.880
Median	0.500	0.800

<u>Sludge Non-Detects (ppt)</u>	<u>TCDD</u>	<u>TCDF</u>
N of Cases	4	0
Minimum	0.300	--
Maximum	3.000	--
Mean	1.650	--
Standard Dev.	1.121	--
Median	1.650	--

<u>Effluent Non-Detects (ppm)</u>	<u>TCDD</u>	<u>TCDF</u>
N of Cases	30	11
Minimum	3.000	2.100
Maximum	17.000	10.000
Mean	7.733	5.764
Standard Dev.	2.789	2.458
Median	7.500	5.800

procedures, it would be possible to expect different detection levels for samples of a given matrix, depending on which lab performed the analysis.

Overall, the analytical objectives of the 104 Mill Study were generally met. Ninety-two percent of non-detect pulp samples had reported detection levels at or below the 1 part per trillion (ppt) target level established in the Agreement (3). All but four sludge samples had detectable concentrations of TCDD/TCDF. Of these four, one was below the target detection level. For effluent samples, the target level of 10 parts per quadrillion (ppq) was achieved in the analyses of 83 percent of the TCDD non-detects and 100 percent of the TCDF non-detects (Figures 3-1 and 3-2).

3.2 FITTING OF DETECTED CONCENTRATIONS

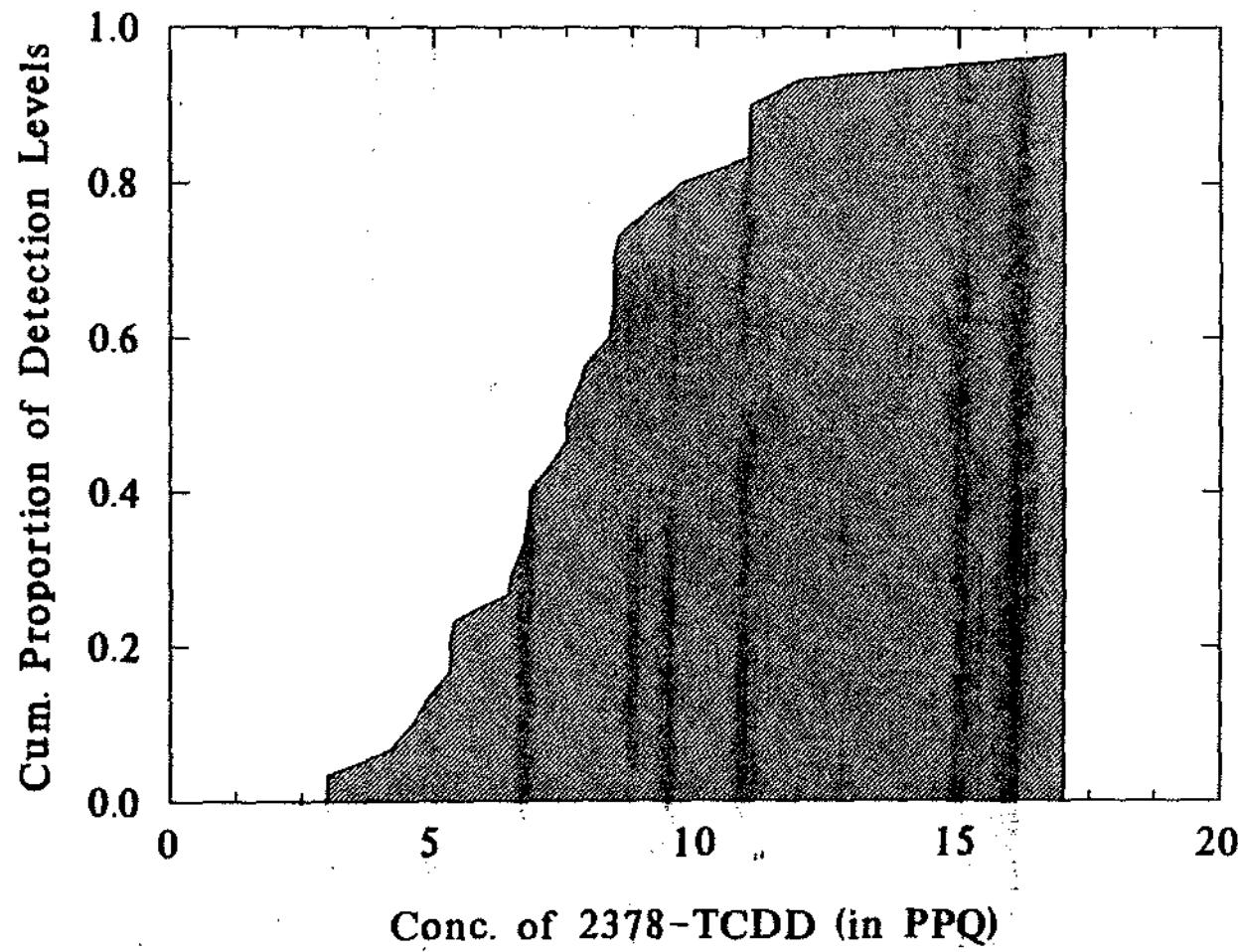
For the detected sample concentrations, graphical goodness-of-fit was done via lognormal probability plots (base 10 scale), matching the ordered concentration levels against the expected values of a lognormal distribution. When data are well-approximated by a lognormal density, such plots closely resemble a straight line. Examination of the plots showed that the data were adequately fit by lognormal densities estimated separately for each export matrix of pulp, effluent, and sludge samples (plots are located in appendix B).

As noted, only detected values were used to characterize the distributions of TCDD/TCDF concentrations within each matrix. Estimates for non-detects measurements, however, were needed for later stages of the analysis. To handle non-detects in a simple, consistent manner, non-detect values were assigned as half the reported detection level.

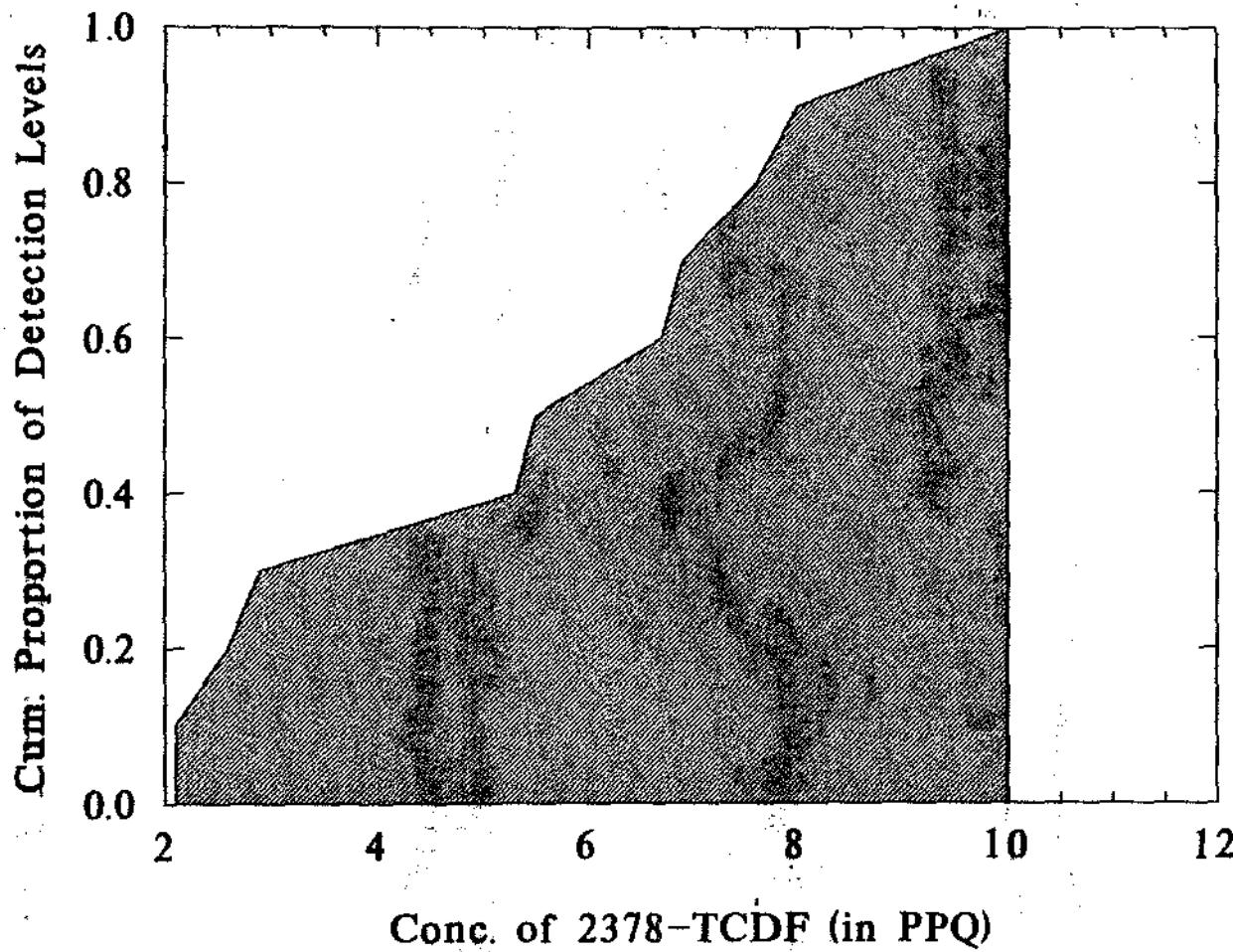
Decision on the treatment of non-detected samples depends upon the purposes of the analysis and the specific nature of the data. In this case, over 96 percent of all the quantitated samples in the 104 Mill Study exhibited detectable levels of either TCDD or TCDF, including at least one matrix export from every mill. Since the ratio of detectable levels of TCDF to TCDD was fairly consistent from mill to mill, there was evidence that non-detected samples contained small positive concentrations of TCDD/TCDF. Setting non-detects to zero would tend

FIGURE 3-1

SAMPLE CUMULATIVE DISTRIBUTION GRAPH
EFFLUENT TCDD DETECTION LEVELS



**SAMPLE CUMULATIVE DISTRIBUTION GRAPH
EFFLUENT TCDF DETECTION LEVELS**



to underestimate the true concentrations of TCDD/TCDF. On the other hand, EPA has frequently assigned non-detects to their detection levels, since the detection levels provide an upper bound on the actual concentrations present in non-detected samples.

Setting non-detects to half the detection level is an arbitrary choice, but has been used with environmental data to steer a "middle ground" between over- and underestimation of the unknown concentrations within non-detected samples (6,7). Since the proportion of non-detects among the total sample set was relatively small, the choice to set non-detects at half the detection level was also considered unlikely to seriously affect the final TCDD/TCDF mass loadings computed at each paper mill.

To illustrate this last point, Tables 3-2 and 3-3 present summary statistics of the TCDD/TCDF concentrations under different assumptions concerning the values of non-detects; the first section summarizes detected concentration values only, while the others report all TCDD/TCDF concentrations after setting non-detects equal to either half the detection level, zero, or the detection level. Some differences are apparent in the tables, particularly for pulp and effluent TCDD samples at sulfite mills, but overall, the discrepancies were judged to be relatively minor when weighed against the precision of the data as a whole.

In summary, the detected concentration values of TCDD/TCDF were found to be best approximated by lognormal distributions, which were estimated separately for each of the export matrices: pulp, sludge, and effluent. Non-detects were consistently assigned to half the detection level in all subsequent analyses.

TABLE 3-2. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TCDD CONCENTRATIONS

DETECTED SAMPLES ONLY									
<u>Matrix</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Std</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Lower Quartile</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Upper Quartile</u>	<u>90th Percentile</u>
All Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	179	10.44	12.85	0.400	116.00	3.50	6.00	14.00	23.00
HW	65	7.48	9.53	0.400	55.70	2.80	4.10	7.70	17.00
SW	100	12.02	14.73	0.500	116.00	4.12	7.60	14.75	26.90
Sludge (ppt)	114	86.32	169.43	0.400	1390.00	10.63	34.00	96.50	188.00
Effluent (ppq)	103	68.22	100.80	3.100	640.00	15.00	30.00	82.00	172.00
Kraft Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	173	10.46	13.00	0.400	116.00	3.55	6.00	13.50	24.20
HW	62	7.50	9.68	0.400	55.70	2.80	4.00	7.70	17.00
SW	98	12.11	14.86	0.500	116.00	4.17	7.60	15.05	27.00
Sludge (ppt)	94	100.86	183.08	0.900	1390.00	14.00	39.00	105.25	203.00
Effluent (ppq)	90	75.85	109.67	3.100	640.00	16.00	35.00	95.07	189.00
Sulfite Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	4	6.22	5.93	2.000	15.00	2.38	3.95	12.35	15.00
HW	3	7.13	6.92	2.000	15.00	2.00	4.40	15.00	15.00
SW	1	3.50		3.500	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50
Sludge (ppt)	18	13.22	16.61	0.400	58.00	3.42	4.75	15.25	48.10
Effluent (ppq)	12	13.33	5.71	4.500	23.00	9.72	12.00	18.00	22.70
NON-DETECTS = 1/2 DETECTION LEVEL									
<u>Matrix</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Std</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Lower Quartile</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Upper Quartile</u>	<u>90th Percentile</u>
All Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	217	8.66	12.29	0.050	116.00	1.90	4.70	11.00	21.00
HW	84	5.84	8.91	0.050	55.70	0.70	3.30	6.00	16.00
SW	114	10.59	14.32	0.100	116.00	3.20	6.30	13.25	25.50
Sludge (ppt)	118	83.42	167.23	0.150	1390.00	8.77	32.00	95.25	185.60
Effluent (ppq)	133	53.70	92.63	1.500	640.00	6.15	19.00	63.00	138.00
Kraft Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	194	9.36	12.68	0.050	116.00	2.40	5.15	12.00	22.00
HW	74	6.32	9.25	0.050	55.70	1.57	3.50	6.25	16.50
SW	104	11.43	14.68	0.250	116.00	3.92	6.50	14.00	26.50
Sludge (ppt)	97	97.77	181.03	0.700	1390.00	13.50	37.40	104.50	197.00
Effluent (ppq)	107	64.47	100.34	1.500	640.00	9.20	24.00	81.00	164.00
Sulfite Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	18	1.63	3.56	0.100	15.00	0.15	0.30	1.47	5.46
HW	8	2.81	5.15	0.100	15.00	0.16	0.32	3.80	15.00
SW	8	0.82	1.14	0.150	3.50	0.19	0.32	1.10	3.50
Sludge (ppt)	19	12.53	16.42	0.150	58.00	3.20	4.70	14.00	47.00
Effluent (ppq)	25	8.16	6.41	2.100	23.00	3.27	4.50	12.00	20.20

TABLE 3-2. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TDS CONCENTRATIONS (CONTINUED)

		NON-DETECTS = 0						NON-DETECTS = DETECTION LEVEL								
Matrix	N	Mean	Std.	Minim.	Maxim.	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile	Mean	Std.	Minim.	Maxim.	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile	90 th Percentile
All Samples																
Pulp (ppt)	217	8.61	12.33	0.000	116.00	1.90	4.70	11.00	21.00							
HW	84	5.79	8.94	0.000	55.70	0.70	3.30	6.00	16.00							
SW	114	10.55	14.35	0.000	116.00	3.20	6.10	13.25	25.50							
Sludge (ppt)	118	63.39	167.25	0.000	1390.00	8.77	32.00	95.25	185.60							
Effluent (ppq)	133	52.83	93.12	0.000	640.00	5.75	19.00	63.00	138.00							
Kraft Samples																
Pulp (ppt)	194	9.33	12.70	0.000	116.00	2.40	5.15	12.00	22.00							
HW	74	6.28	9.28	0.000	55.70	1.57	3.50	6.25	16.50							
SW	104	11.41	14.70	0.000	116.00	3.92	6.80	14.00	26.50							
Sludge (ppt)	97	97.74	181.03	0.000	1390.00	13.50	37.90	104.50	197.00							
Effluent (ppq)	107	63.80	100.76	0.000	640.00	9.20	24.80	61.00	164.00							
Bulftite Samples																
Pulp (ppt)	18	1.38	3.65	0.000	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	5.46							
HW	8	2.67	5.23	0.000	15.00	0.00	0.00	3.80	15.00							
SW	8	0.44	1.24	0.000	3.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.50							
Sludge (ppt)	19	12.53	16.42	0.000	36.00	3.20	4.70	14.00	47.00							
Effluent (ppq)	25	6.40	7.82	0.000	23.00	0.00	0.00	12.00	20.20							

TABLE 3-3. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TCPP CONCENTRATIONS

DETECTED SAMPLES ONLY								
Matrix	N	Mean	Std.	Minimum	Maximum	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile
All Samples								
Pulp (ppt)	206	89.53	251.14	0.600	2620.00	5.67	19.50	60.22
HW	79	55.83	123.24	0.800	661.00	4.10	15.00	49.00
SW	108	117.69	326.52	0.600	2620.00	6.32	22.50	64.27
Sludge (ppt)	115	697.73	2012.20	0.700	17100.00	34.50	107.00	230.60
Effluent (ppq)	127	412.30	1108.94	2.800	8400.00	36.00	62.00	1582.00
Kraft Samples								
Pulp (ppt)	187	89.58	259.27	0.600	2620.00	6.80	21.00	59.00
HW	72	56.08	121.43	0.800	661.00	5.32	17.50	49.75
SW	99	117.98	337.06	0.700	2620.00	7.30	26.00	63.90
Sludge (ppt)	97	796.45	2174.35	2.400	17100.00	35.10	161.00	675.50
Effluent (ppq)	104	476.19	1214.02	4.200	8400.00	42.25	98.00	359.75
Sulfite Samples								
Pulp (ppt)	14	89.36	166.95	1.100	449.00	2.70	6.35	100.25
HW	5	73.42	139.82	1.100	323.00	4.10	9.90	174.50
SW	7	125.43	207.71	1.400	449.00	2.10	6.30	409.00
Sludge (ppt)	16	98.63	143.34	0.700	564.00	26.75	63.00	85.75
Effluent (ppq)	21	112.26	194.37	2.800	8400.00	16.00	35.00	120.00
NON-DETECTS - 1/2 DETECTION LEVEL								
Matrix	N	Mean	Std.	Minimum	Maximum	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile
All Samples								
Pulp (ppt)	216	85.40	245.95	0.050	2620.00	4.22	18.00	58.50
HW	84	52.52	120.20	0.150	661.00	3.13	14.50	46.50
SW	113	112.50	320.07	0.050	2620.00	5.55	19.00	61.45
Sludge (ppt)	115	697.73	2013.20	0.700	17100.00	34.50	107.00	207.20
Effluent (ppq)	138	379.66	1069.30	1.050	8400.00	26.00	69.50	1582.00
Kraft Samples								
Pulp (ppt)	192	87.26	256.25	0.350	2620.00	5.70	20.00	59.00
HW	74	54.58	123.05	0.350	661.00	3.97	15.50	49.25
SW	102	114.52	332.62	0.400	2620.00	6.52	22.50	60.22
Sludge (ppt)	97	796.45	2174.35	2.400	17100.00	35.10	161.00	675.50
Effluent (ppq)	111	446.39	1130.41	2.750	8400.00	37.00	82.00	1728.00
Sulfite Samples								
Pulp (ppt)	19	65.90	147.50	0.050	449.00	-0.45	3.10	9.90
HW	6	45.99	112.27	0.150	323.00	0.30	4.10	21.97
SW	9	97.58	188.18	0.050	449.00	0.77	3.80	323.00
Sludge (ppt)	16	98.63	143.34	0.700	564.00	26.75	63.00	449.00
Effluent (ppq)	25	94.55	182.20	1.050	840.00	6.00	29.00	350.20

TABLE 3-3. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TCFP CONCENTRATIONS (CONTINUED)

Matrix	N	Mean	Std	NON-DETECTS = 0				Upper Quartile	90 th Percentile
				Minimum	Maximum	Lower Quartile	Median		
All Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	216	85.38	245.86	0.000	2620.00	4.22	10.00	58.50	154.20
HW	64	52.50	120.31	0.000	661.00	3.13	14.50	46.50	106.50
SW	113	112.48	320.96	0.000	2620.00	5.55	19.00	61.45	207.20
Sludge (ppt)	115	697.73	2012.20	0.700	17100.00	34.50	107.00	62.00	1585.00
Effluent (ppq)	136	379.43	1069.98	0.000	8400.00	26.00	69.50	312.50	841.00
Kraft Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	192	87.25	256.35	0.000	2620.00	5.70	20.00	59.00	144.90
HW	74	54.57	123.05	0.000	661.00	3.97	15.50	49.25	106.50
SW	102	114.51	332.62	0.000	2620.00	6.52	22.50	60.22	176.60
Sludge (ppt)	97	796.45	2174.35	2.400	17100.00	35.10	161.00	675.50	1728.00
Effluent (ppq)	111	446.16	1180.50	0.000	8400.00	37.00	82.00	340.00	1064.00
Sulfite Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	19	65.85	147.53	0.000	449.00	0.00	3.10	9.90	409.00
HW	8	45.89	112.32	0.000	323.00	0.00	4.10	21.97	323.00
SW	9	97.56	188.19	0.000	449.00	0.70	3.80	207.70	449.00
Sludge (ppt)	16	98.63	143.34	0.700	584.00	26.75	63.00	85.75	350.20
Effluent (ppq)	25	94.39	162.34	0.000	840.00	6.00	23.00	91.00	320.00
NON-DETECTS = DETECTION LEVEL									
Matrix	N	Mean	Std	Minimum	Maximum	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile	90 th Percentile
All Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	216	85.41	245.95	0.100	2620.00	4.22	10.00	58.50	154.20
HW	84	52.54	120.19	0.300	661.00	3.13	14.50	46.50	106.50
SW	113	112.54	320.06	0.100	2620.00	5.55	19.00	61.45	207.20
Sludge (ppt)	115	697.73	2012.20	0.700	17100.00	34.50	107.00	624.00	1592.00
Effluent (ppq)	136	379.89	1069.22	2.100	8400.00	26.00	69.50	312.50	841.00
Kraft Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	192	87.27	256.25	0.600	2620.00	5.70	20.00	59.00	144.90
HW	74	54.59	123.04	0.700	661.00	3.97	15.50	49.25	106.50
SW	102	114.54	332.61	0.700	2620.00	6.52	22.50	60.22	176.60
Sludge (ppt)	97	796.45	2174.35	2.400	17100.00	35.10	161.00	675.50	1728.00
Effluent (ppq)	111	446.62	1180.32	4.200	8400.00	37.00	82.00	340.00	1064.00
Sulfite Samples									
Pulp (ppt)	19	65.96	147.48	0.100	449.00	0.90	3.10	9.90	409.00
HW	8	46.10	112.22	0.300	323.00	0.60	4.10	21.97	323.00
SW	9	97.60	188.17	0.100	449.00	0.85	3.80	207.70	449.00
Sludge (ppt)	16	98.63	143.34	0.700	584.00	26.75	63.00	85.75	350.20
Effluent (ppq)	25	94.61	182.06	2.100	840.00	6.25	23.00	91.00	328.00

4. ANALYSIS OF FIELD AND LAB DUPLICATE SAMPLES

Section 4 examines the variability in measurements of 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) reported for sets of duplicate samples. Concentration values for duplicate measurements were plotted against each other to assess the degree of agreement, and the total variability in duplicate samples was analyzed to determine what fraction could be attributed to measurement error or differences in sampling and analytical protocols.

The fact that the distributions of TCDD/TCDF concentration values could be analyzed as approximately lognormal was important in two ways: to concretely characterize the data from the 104 Mill Study and to analyze the variability in TCDD/TCDF concentrations attributable to duplicate field sampling or repeated laboratory tests. Of the 500 samples of pulp, sludge, and effluent from this study, close to 150 (30 percent) were classified as field sample duplicates or lab duplicate splits.

The variation in TCDD/TCDF measurements among duplicate samples was evaluated since a single value representing the TCDD/TCDF concentration of each composite sample was needed to compute the TCDD/TCDF mass exports linked to the bleach lines at each pulp mill. Since the variability among duplicates was found to be relatively small, the TCDD/TCDF concentration values from duplicate analyses were averaged, first setting any non-detected values to half of the reported detection level.

4.1 CORRELATIONS BETWEEN DUPLICATE PAIRS

Figures 4-1 through 4-12 (located at the end of this section) plot the concentration values of TCDD/TCDF for all pairs of field and lab duplicate samples, subdivided by matrix into pulp, sludge, and effluent. The dashed line on each plot represents the region of perfect agreement between duplicate measurements. Non-detected samples were assigned a concentration value of half the reported detection level.

For purposes of estimating the approximate variability in each scatterplot, particularly the variability orthogonal to the dashed 45-degree line, a 95 percent confidence ellipsoid is also shown. For data that are approximately bivariate normal in distribution, only 5 percent of the data pairs would be expected to fall outside the ellipsoid (since the data are plotted on a log scale, the assumption of bivariate normality is not unreasonable given the goodness of fit results described in section 3.2). The widths of the confidence ellipsoids for lab versus field duplicates or between different export matrices roughly indicate the relative agreement between duplicate pairs in each case.

In general, both types of duplicate pairs (lab and field) show very close agreement. Few points indicate any significant discrepancy between the measured TCDD/TCDF concentration levels, although three of the plots involving lab duplicate pairs deserve special notice. In Figure 4-4, two pairs of TCDF pulp samples are more discrepant than the rest, both pairs came from the Champion International mill at Cantonment, Florida. In Figure 4-7, three pairs of TCDD sludge samples stand out; all three were collected from sulfite mills. The laboratories that conducted the analyses noted that producing reliable results was much more difficult for samples from sulfite mills than those from kraft mills.

In addition, the three sample pairs of TCDF effluent duplicates in Figure 4-12 show less agreement than the others. Two of the pairs came from the Champion International kraft mill in Houston, Texas; the other pair was collected at the Wausau sulfite mill in Brokaw, Wisconsin.

The relative agreement between lab duplicates is of particular interest, since repeated laboratory measurements on the same samples provide an estimate of the variability in concentration levels due to analytical measurement error. Though the variability in field duplicates necessarily contains components due to field sampling protocol and to analytical measurement difference, very few samples were labeled as both field duplicates and lab splits, so the variability of lab duplicates in this study cannot be assumed to be "contained" within the variability of field duplicates.

To support the visual impressions provided by the plots of duplicate pairs, Table 4-1 provides the Pearson correlation coefficients between the various types of field and lab duplicates, subdivided by matrix (pulp, sludge, and effluent) and pulping process (kraft and sulfite). The correlations were computed on the logged data to correspond with the above plots. Except for TCDD measurements computed for sulfite mill lab duplicates, this measure indicated very strong agreement between either field duplicate or lab duplicate pairs.

Figures 4-13 to 4-16 (located at the end of this section) illustrate the differences between TCDD/TCDF effluent pairs taken from kraft versus sulfite mills. While almost 90 percent of the kraft sample pairs (22 of 25) show very good agreement, at least 40 percent of the sulfite pairs (4 of 10) indicate significant discrepancy between the duplicate analyses. These findings suggest that samples collected from sulfite mills were more difficult to analyze than counterparts collected from kraft mills.

4.2 ANALYSIS OF DUPLICATE SAMPLE VARIABILITY

A formal analysis of variance (ANOVA) was also performed to determine the proportion of variability in TCDD/TCDF concentrations attributable directly to field sampling technique or analytical protocol. The objective of an ANOVA is to examine the total variation in a set of measurements and then partition the overall variability into smaller components representing different sources of error. Since the overall variation is known, the partitioning allows one to weigh each particular source of error relative to the total and hence, to rank the sources of error in degree of importance...

Although many sources of variation can be attributed to the TCDD/TCDF concentration data, components resulting from field sampling and analytical error were of primary concern. One source of variability that could not be measured was the potential difference between the two laboratories performing the analytical work. In only a couple cases were duplicate samples "split across labs" before analysis; hence, all members of a duplicate set were generally analyzed by the same lab. Consequently, variability attributed to repeated lab measurement comprises "within lab" differences only.

TABLE 4-1. PEARSON CORRELATIONS BETWEEN DUPLICATE PAIRS

<u>Field Duplicates</u>	N	TCDD <u>Correlation</u>	N	TCDF <u>Correlation</u>
Pulp	20	.952	21	.982
Sludge	9	.988	10	.987
Effluent	12	.985	13	.982
Kraft	11	.989	12	.982
Sulfite	1	---	1	---
<u>Lab Duplicates</u>				
Pulp	19	.994	16	.950
Sludge	21	.945	19	.989
Effluent	17	.967	18	.874
Kraft	12	.983	13	.886
Sulfite	5	.735	5	.897

Note: Correlations were computed between pairs of logged concentration values.

Tables 4-2 and 4-3 provide a breakdown of the components of total variation in TCDD/TCDF concentration values for field and lab duplicates within each matrix. For each matrix, the total sum of squared deviations (SS) from the overall mean was divided mathematically into two smaller sums of squares. The first sum of squares (SS1) was formed by calculating the average concentration value of each set of duplicate samples and then computing the squared deviations of the duplicate set means from the overall matrix mean. Conceptually, SS1 represents the variation due to differences between average TCDD/TCDF values of various duplicate sets.

The second sum of squares (SS2) was formed by computing the deviations of individual samples from the average concentration level within each duplicate set and then summing across all duplicate sets within the specific matrix. The second sum of squares is of particular interest since it represents an estimate of the variability due to differences between samples within duplicate sets and hence, is a measure of the analytical measurement error (Table 4-2) or field sampling error (Table 4-3) encountered during the 104 Mill Study.

It is important to realize that the two component sums of squares add up to the total variation, so that $SS = SS1 + SS2$. In this context, one can judge whether the percentage of the total variation due to field sampling or analytical measurement error (SS2 percent) is large compared with all other sources of variation, which are lumped together in SS1 percent.

For the cases in Tables 4-2 and 4-3, if one considers the variability resulting from "within duplicate set differences", with the exception of one case, less than six percent of the total variation can be attributed to differences in either field sampling or laboratory analysis. Consistent with the previous analyses, it can be fairly concluded that a minor portion of the variance in TCDD/TCDF concentrations is attributable to field sampling protocol or analytical measurement. Averaging the concentration values within duplicate sets to form a single value for subsequent analysis appears to be justified.

The exceptional case involves effluent lab duplicates for TCDF where 12 percent of the total variation can be attributed to differences between

TABLE 4-2. ANOVA TABLE FOR LAB DUPLICATES

<u>Matrix</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>SS1</u>	<u>SS1%</u>	<u>SS2</u>	<u>SS2%</u>
Pulp					
Log ₁₀ (TCDD)	32	11.528	99.5	0.055	0.5
Log ₁₀ (TCDF)	29	20.572	96.8	0.678	3.2
Sludge					
Log ₁₀ (TCDD)	31	21.083	94.2	1.300	5.8
Log ₁₀ (TCDF)	27	19.089	99.1	0.167	0.9
Effluent					
Log ₁₀ (TCDD)	25	10.001	97.5	0.256	2.5
Log ₁₀ (TCDF)	27	13.886	88.3	1.845	11.7

SS1= Between Duplicate Set Sum of Squares - Within each matrix,
the deviations of duplicate set means from the overall
matrix mean

SS2= Within Duplicate Set Sum of Squares - Deviations of
individual samples from their respective duplicate set
means

SS= Total Sum of Squares - Equal to SS1 + SS2

SS1% = (SS1/SS)*100

SS2% = (SS2/SS)*100

TABLE 4-3. ANOVA TABLE FOR FIELD DUPLICATES

<u>Matrix</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>SS1</u>	<u>SS1%</u>	<u>SS2</u>	<u>SS2%</u>
Pulp					
Log ₁₀ (TCDD)	37	9.562	97.7	0.224	2.3
Log ₁₀ (TCDF)	39	17.971	98.9	0.207	1.1
Sludge					
Log ₁₀ (TCDD)	15	5.027	99.0	0.050	1.0
Log ₁₀ (TCDF)	17	8.791	99.3	0.062	0.7
Effluent					
Log ₁₀ (TCDD)	21	5.016	99.1	0.043	0.9
Log ₁₀ (TCDF)	23	6.688	98.8	0.078	1.2

SS1= Between Duplicate Set Sum of Squares - Within each matrix, the deviations of duplicate set means from the overall matrix mean

SS2= Within Duplicate Set Sum of Squares - Deviations of individual samples from their respective duplicate set means

SS= Total Sum of Squares - Equal to SS1 + SS2.

$$SS1\% = (SS1/SS)*100$$

$$SS2\% = (SS2/SS)*100$$

analytical measurements within duplicate sets. While this fraction does not appear to be unreasonably large, it is twice as high as any of the other cases, including the corresponding SS2 percentage for effluent TCDD lab samples. As was noted in Figure 4-12, this finding can be attributed to measurement differences from only 3 of 18 pairs of effluent samples; the remaining duplicates appear to be in very close agreement.

FIGURE 4-1

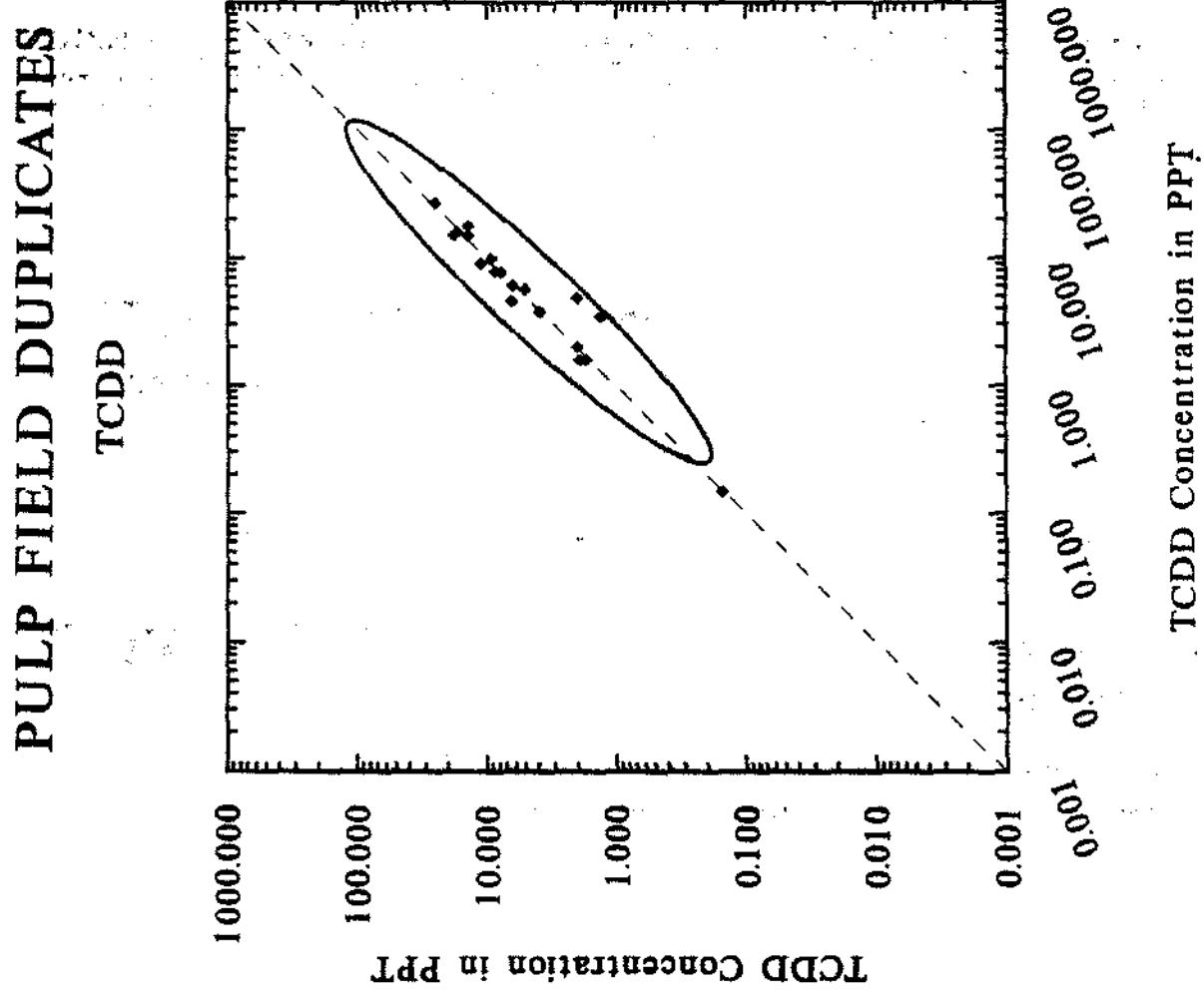


FIGURE 4-2

PULP FIELD DUPLICATES
TCDF

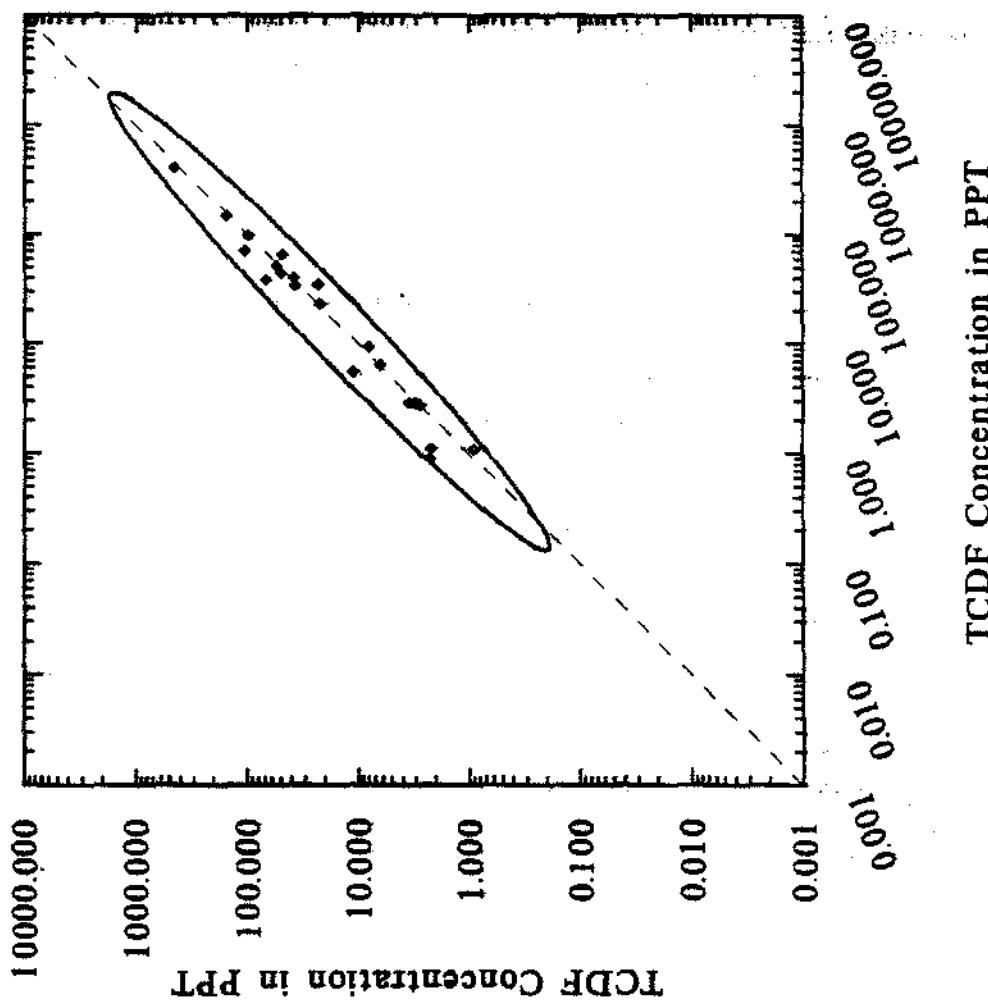


FIGURE 4-3

PULP LAB DUPLICATES

TCDD

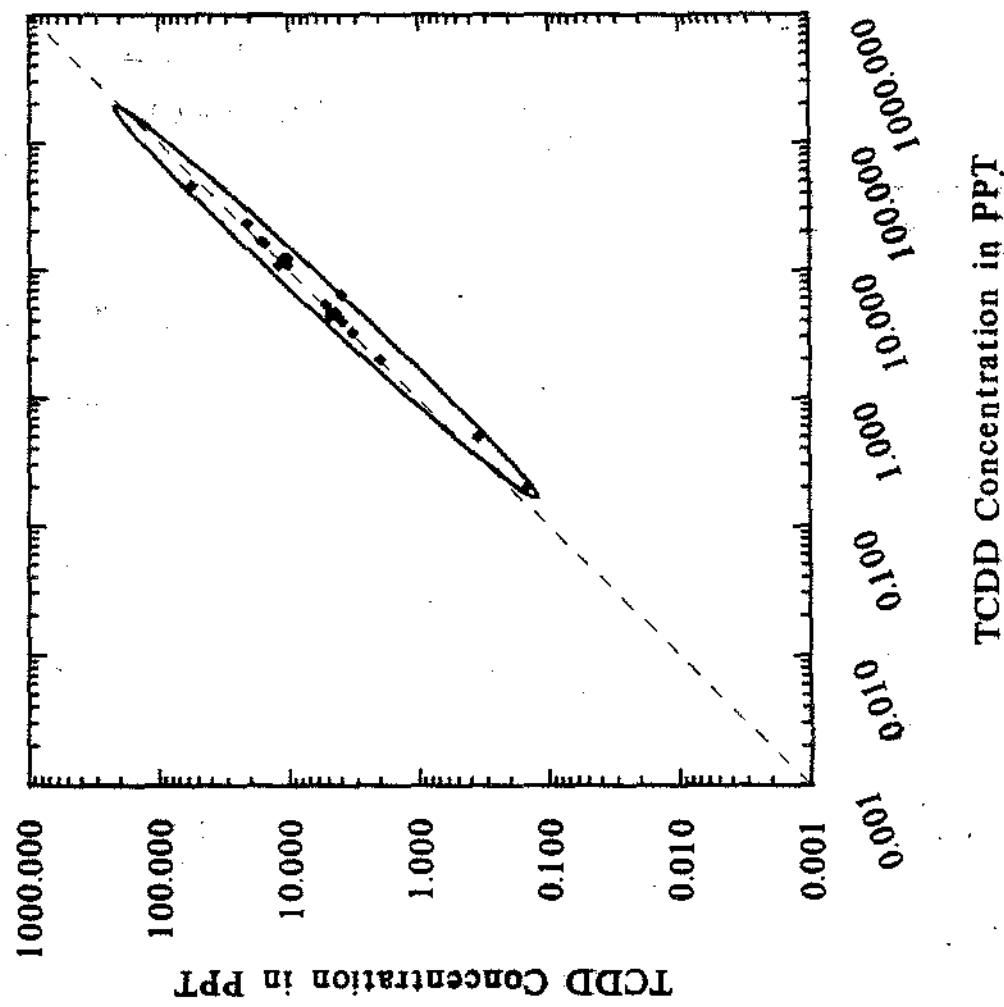


FIGURE 4-4

PULP LAB DUPLICATES
TCDF

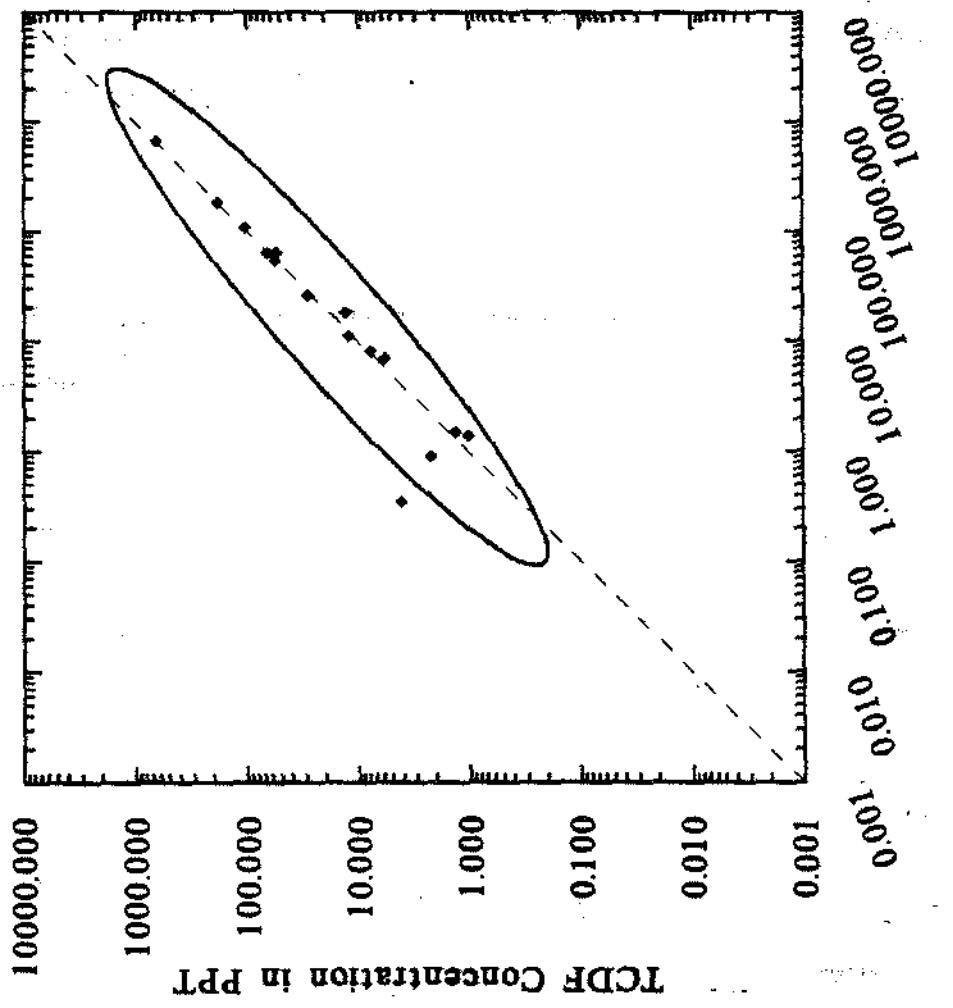


FIGURE 4-5

SLUDGE FIELD DUPLICATES

TCDD

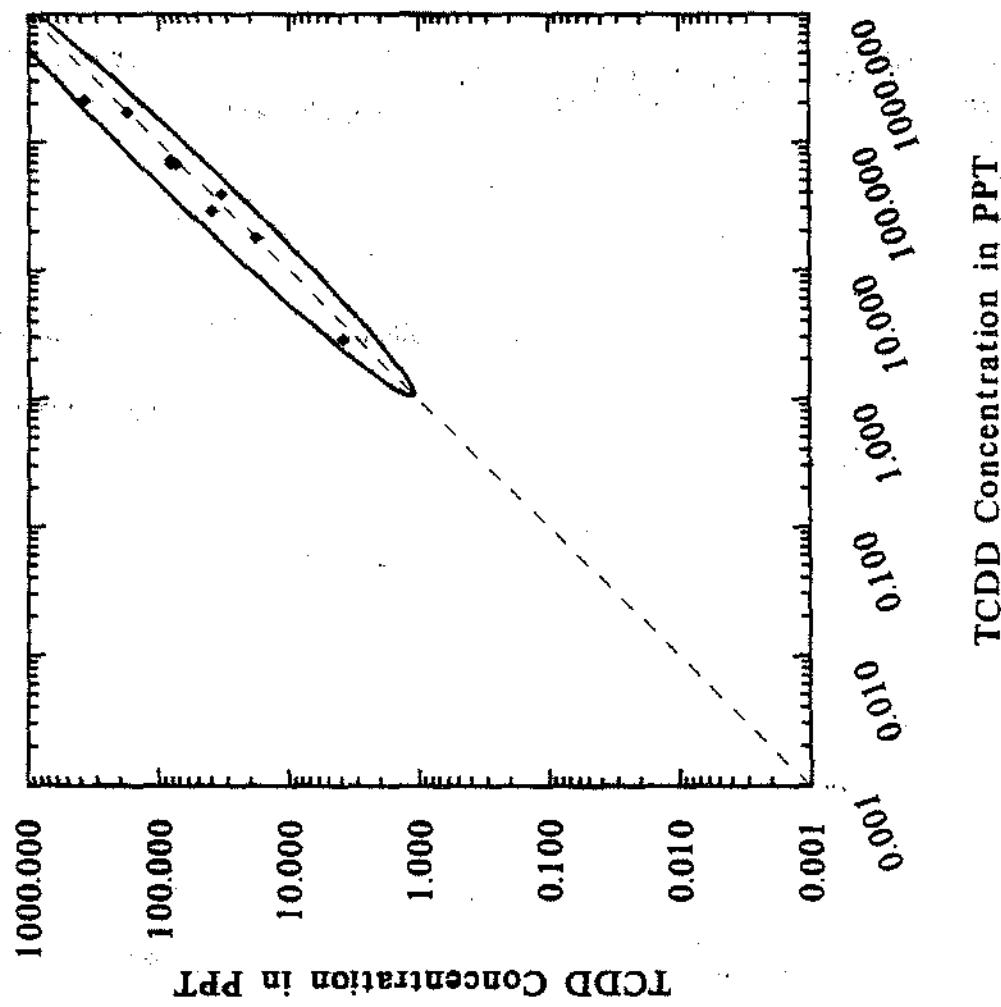


FIGURE 4-6

SLUDGE FIELD DUPLICATES
TCDF

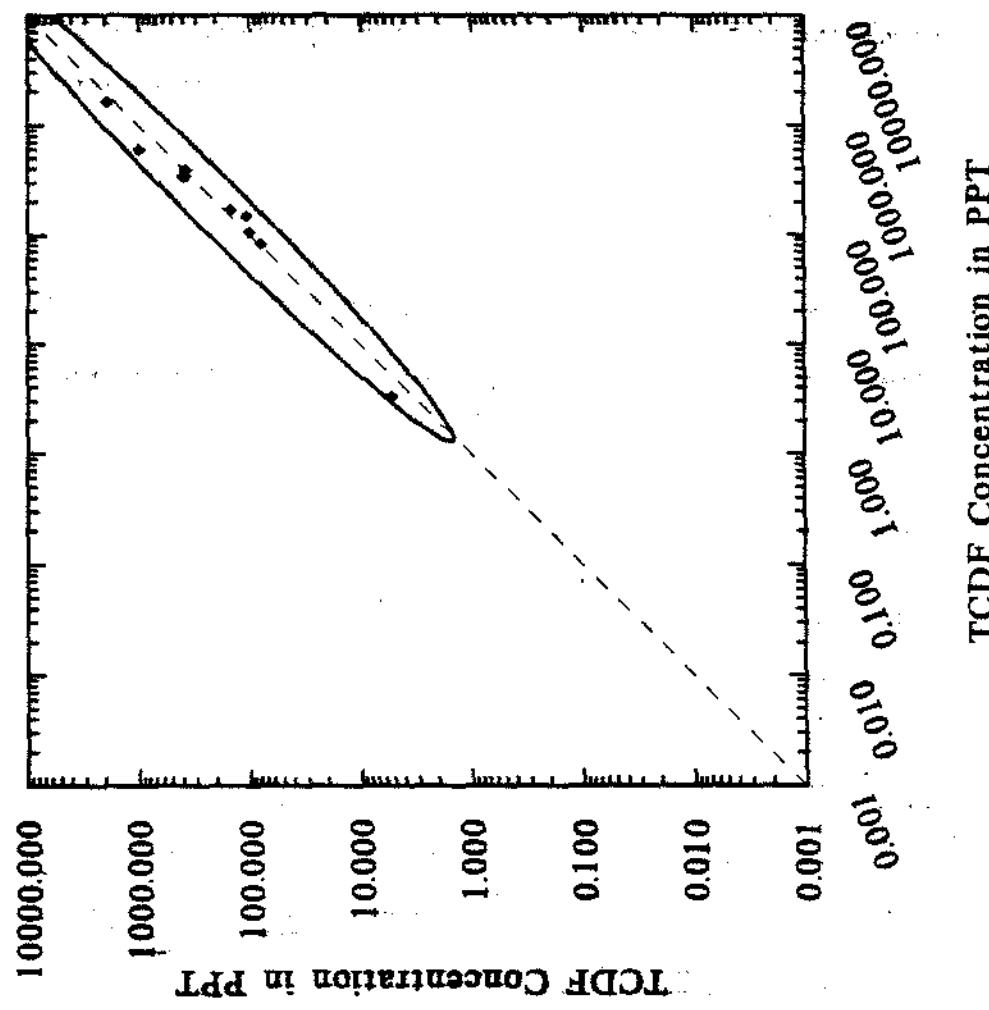


FIGURE 4-7

SLUDGE LAB DUPLICATES

TCDD

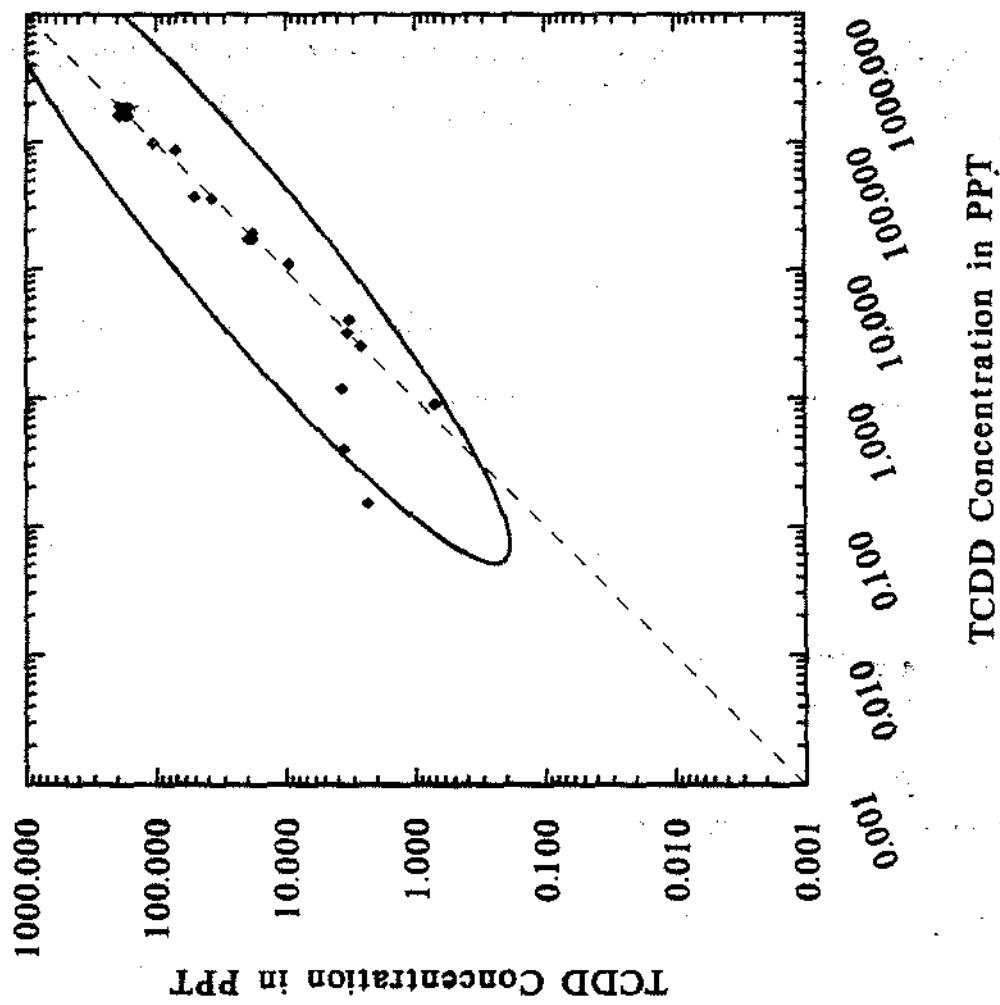


FIGURE 4-8

SLUDGE LAB DUPLICATES
TCDF

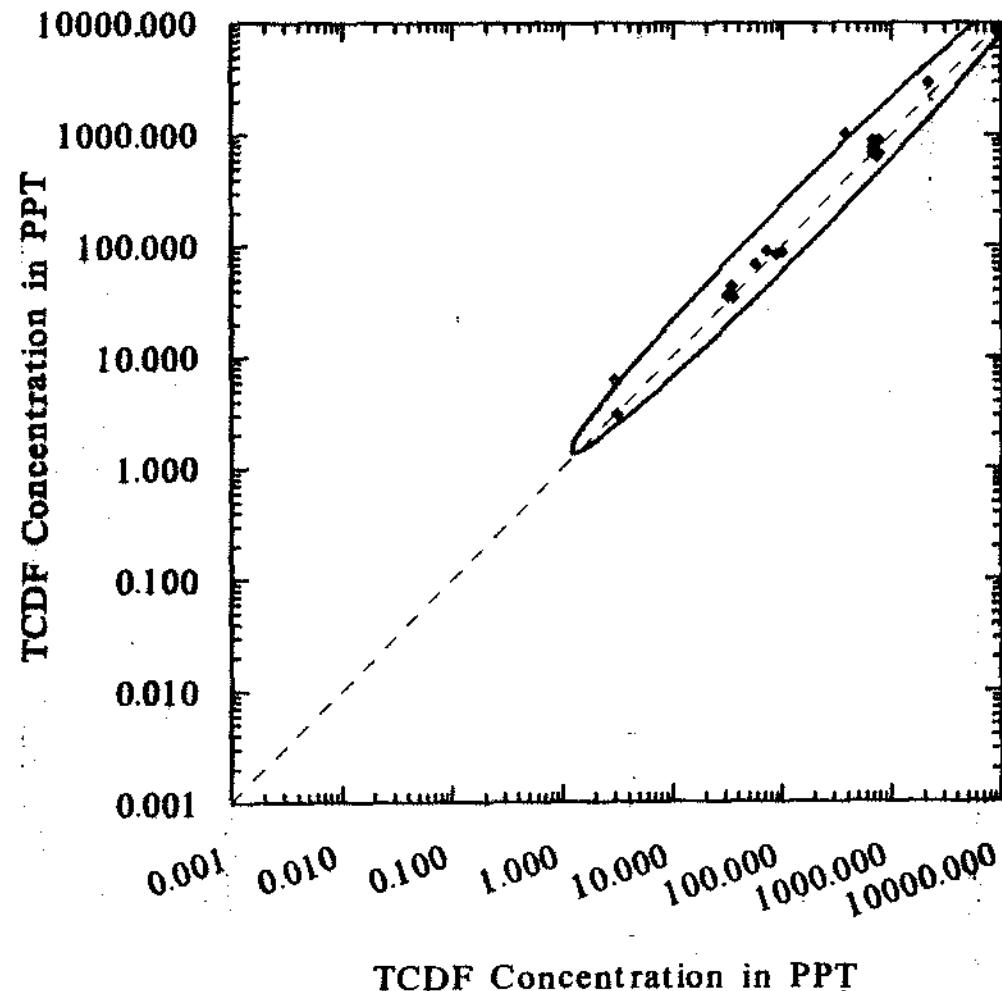


FIGURE 4-9

EFFLUENT FIELD DUPLICATES

TCDD

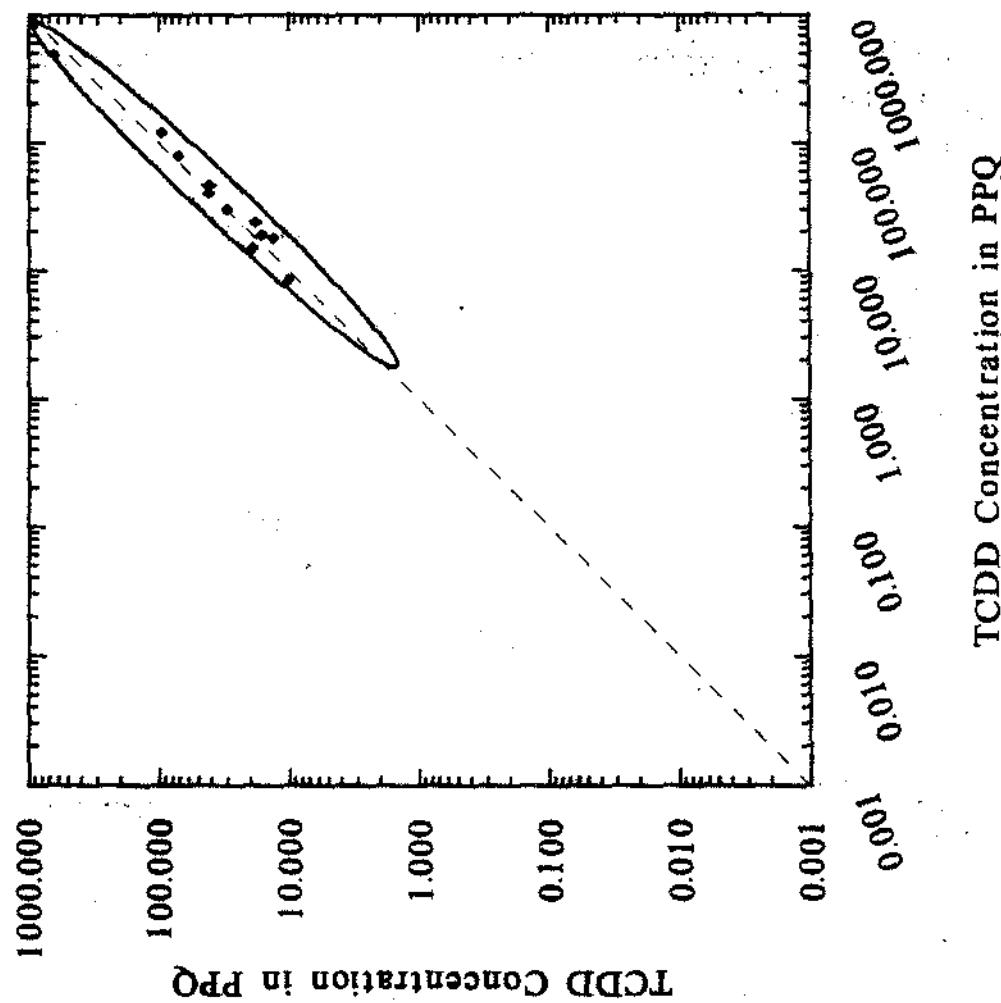


FIGURE 4-10

EFFLUENT FIELD DUPLICATES

TCDF

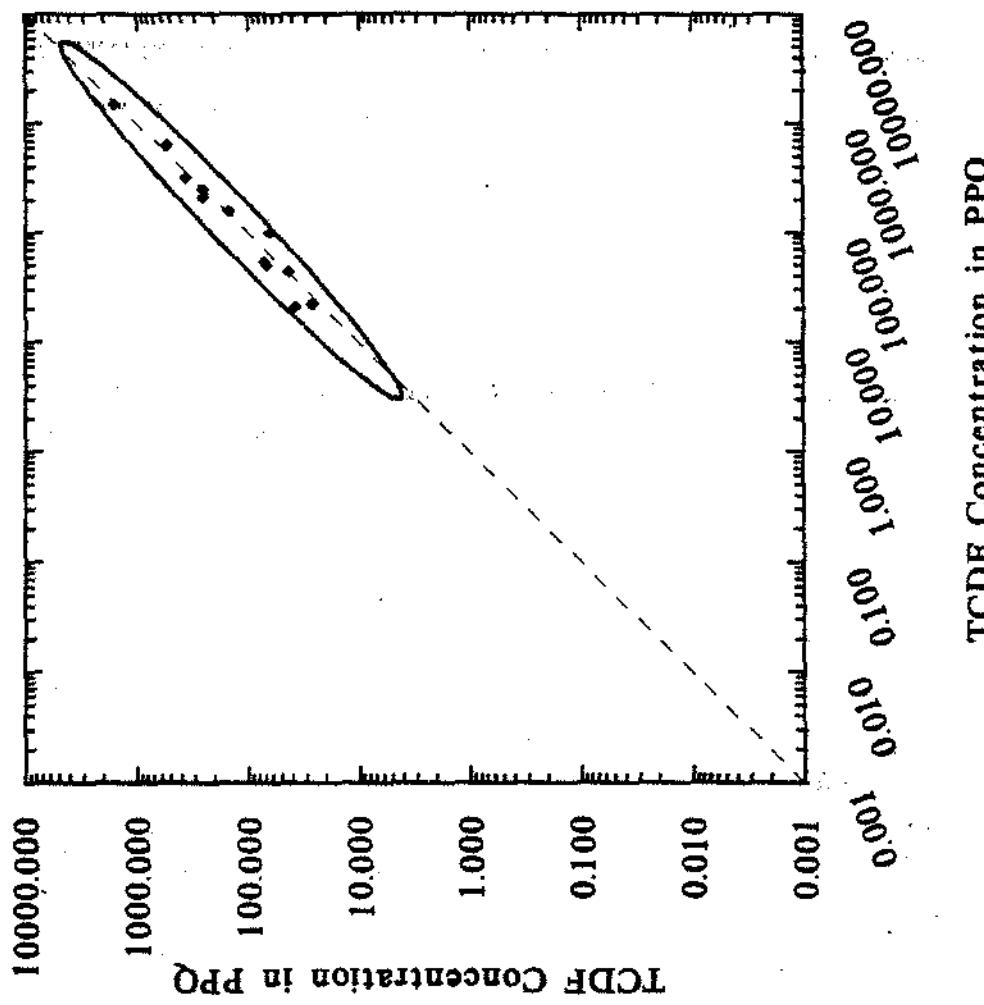


FIGURE 4-11

EFFLUENT LAB DUPLICATES
TCDD

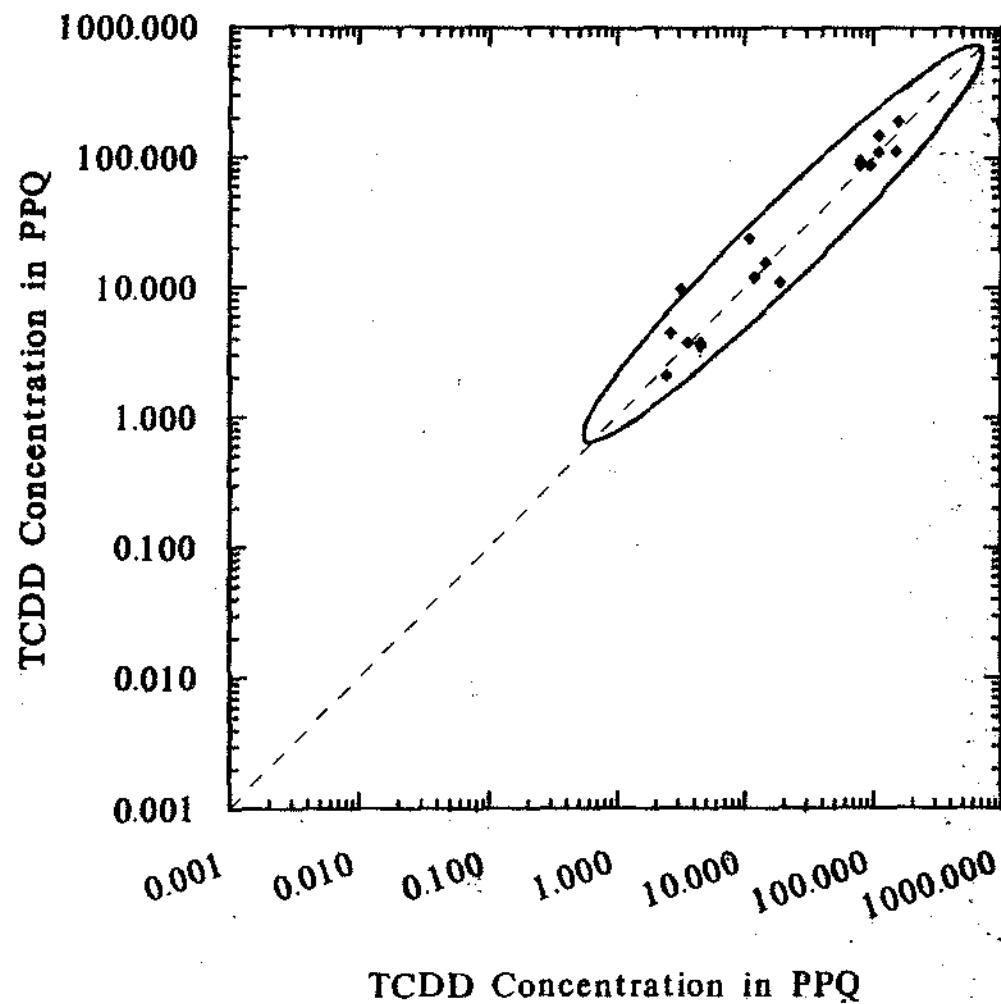


FIGURE 4-12

EFFLUENT LAB DUPLICATES
TCDF

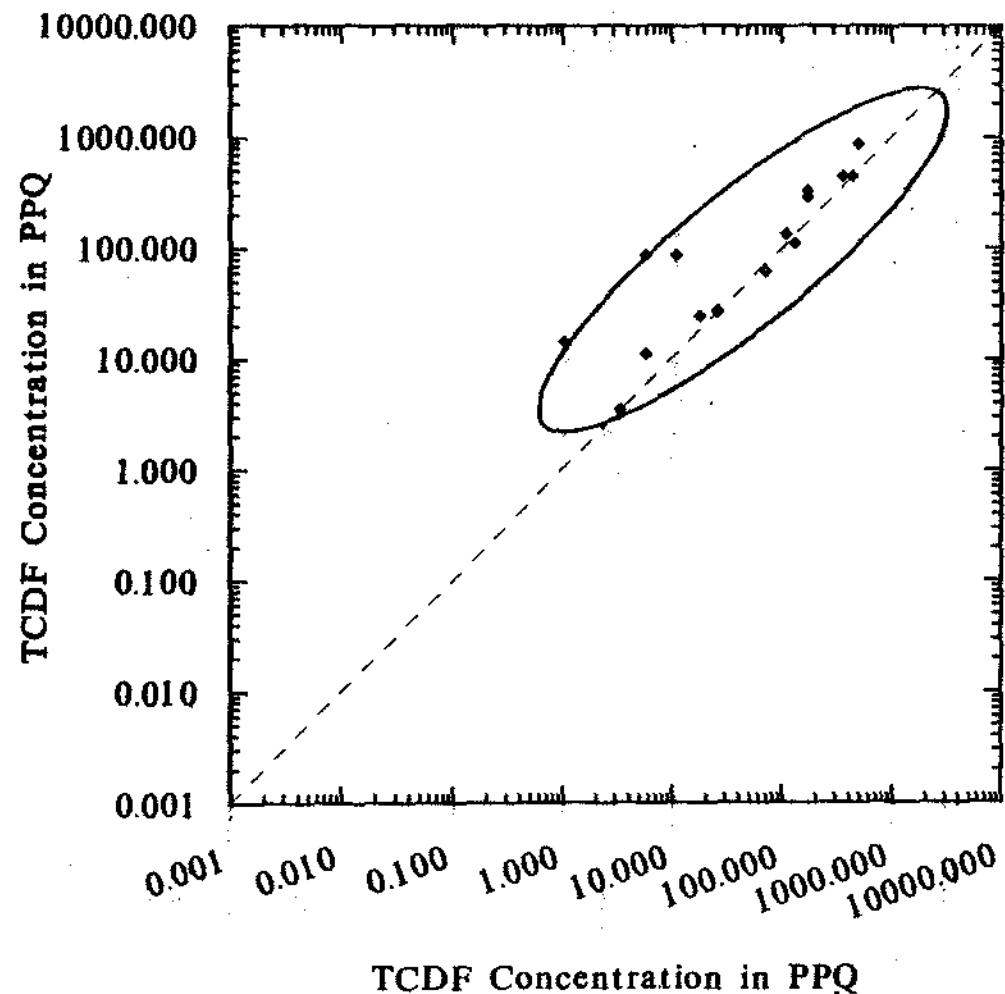


FIGURE 4-13

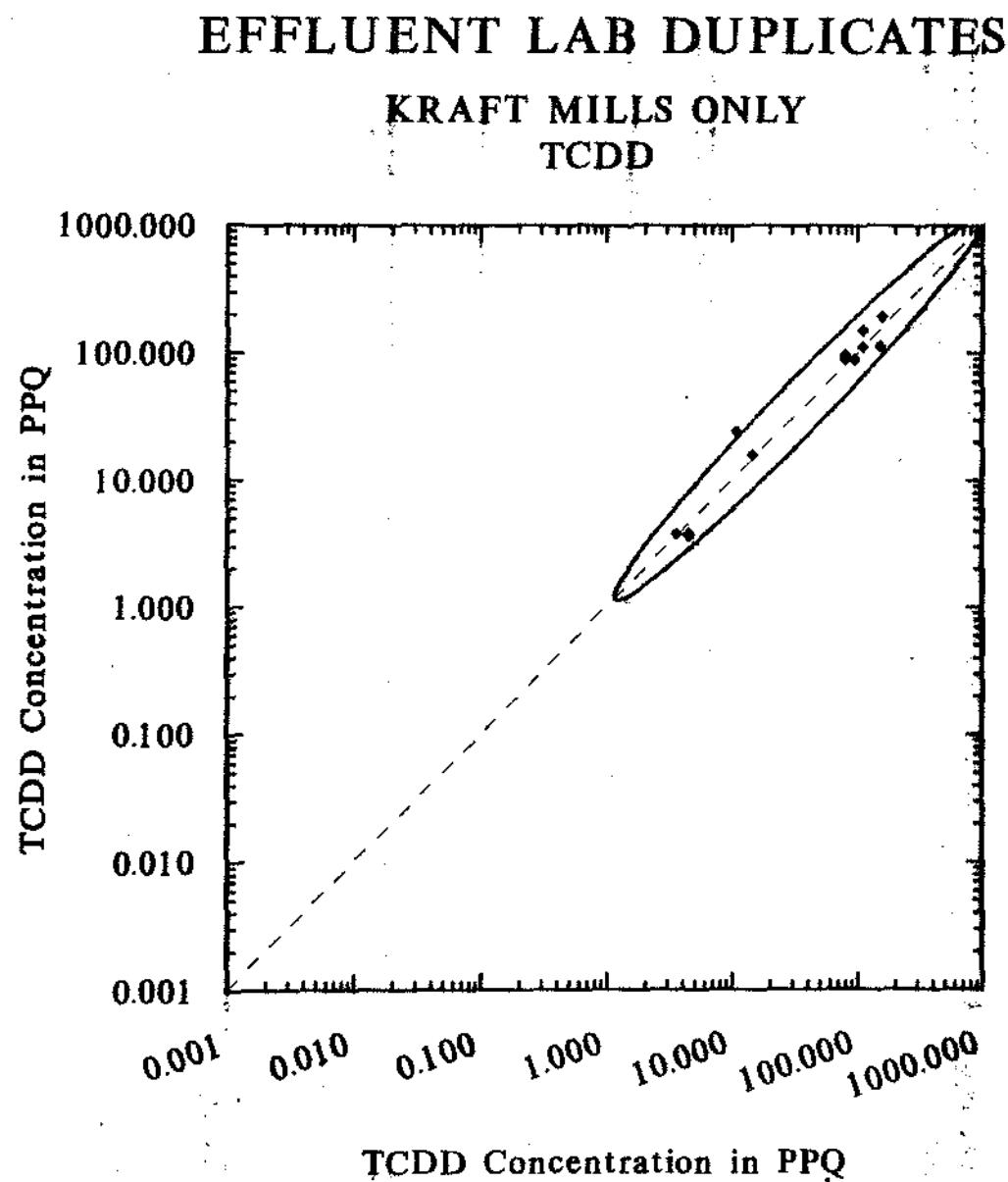


FIGURE 4-14

EFFLUENT LAB DUPLICATES
SULFITE MILLS ONLY
TCDD

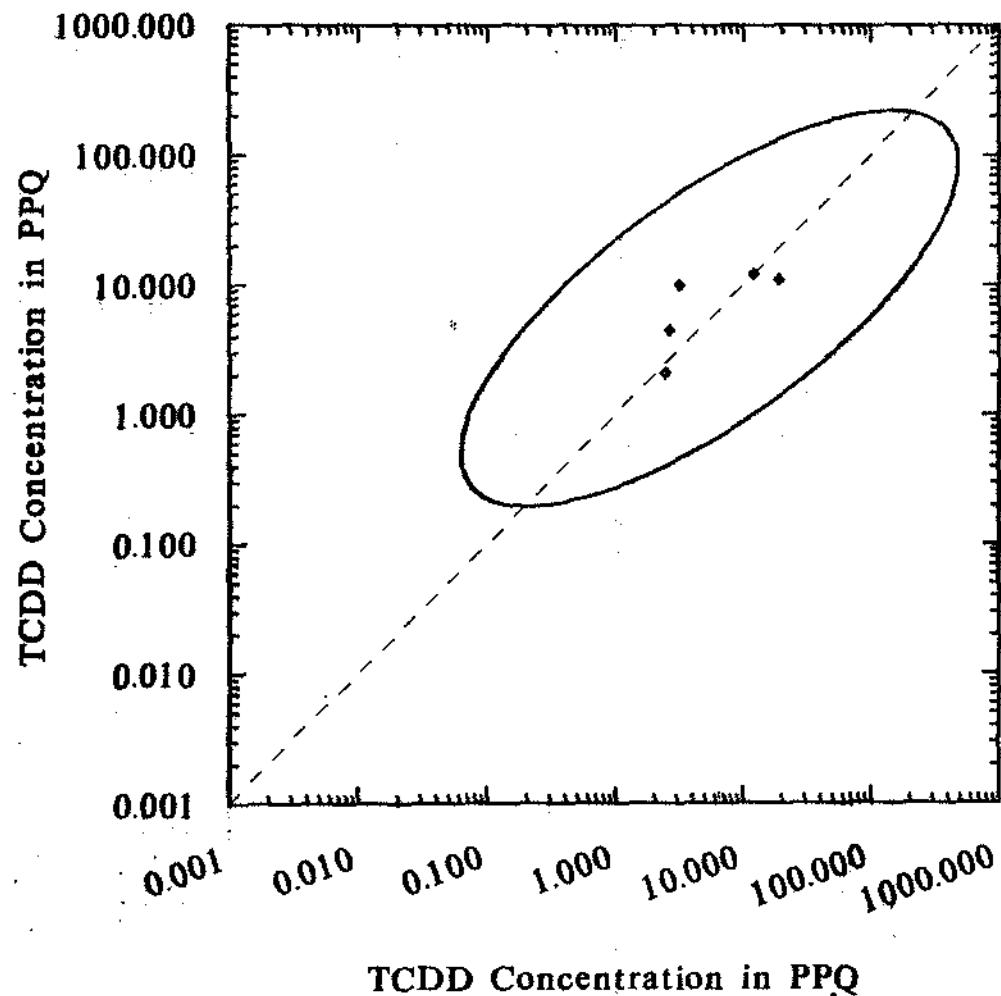


FIGURE 4-15

EFFLUENT LAB DUPLICATES
KRAFT MILLS ONLY
TCDF

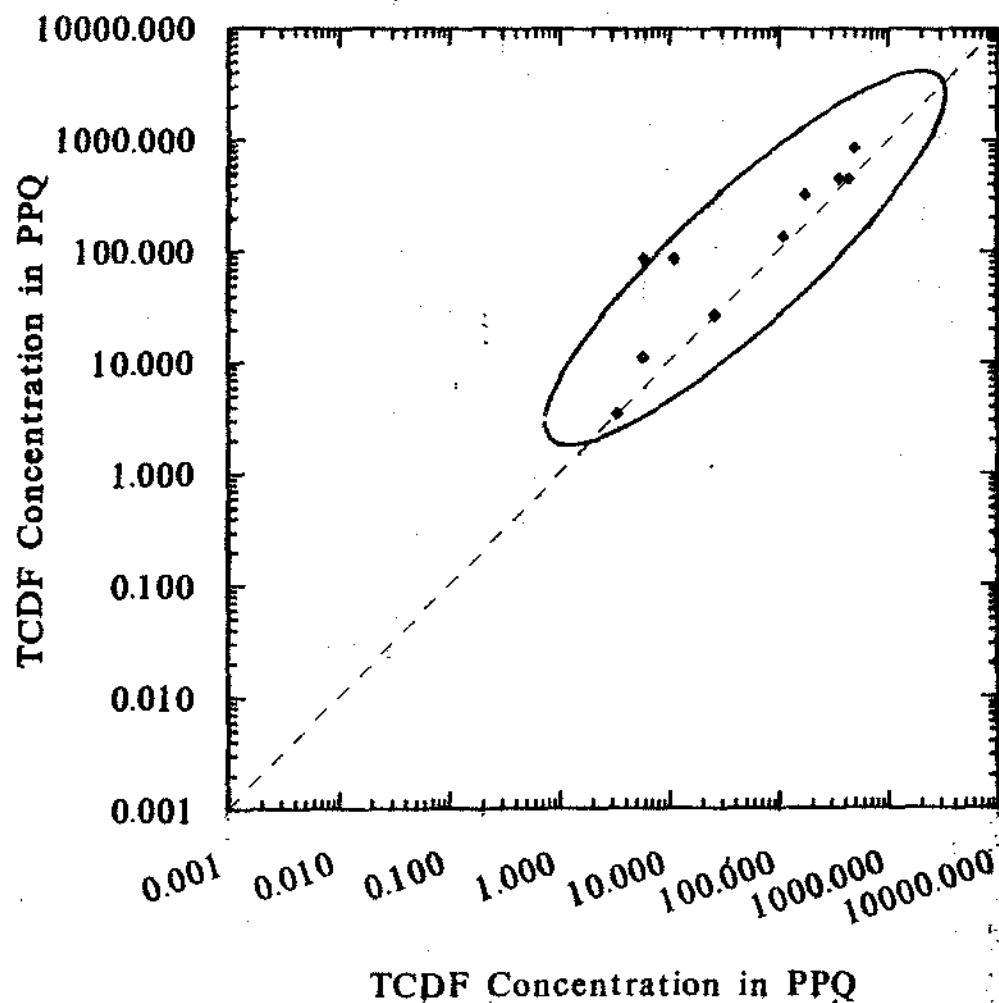
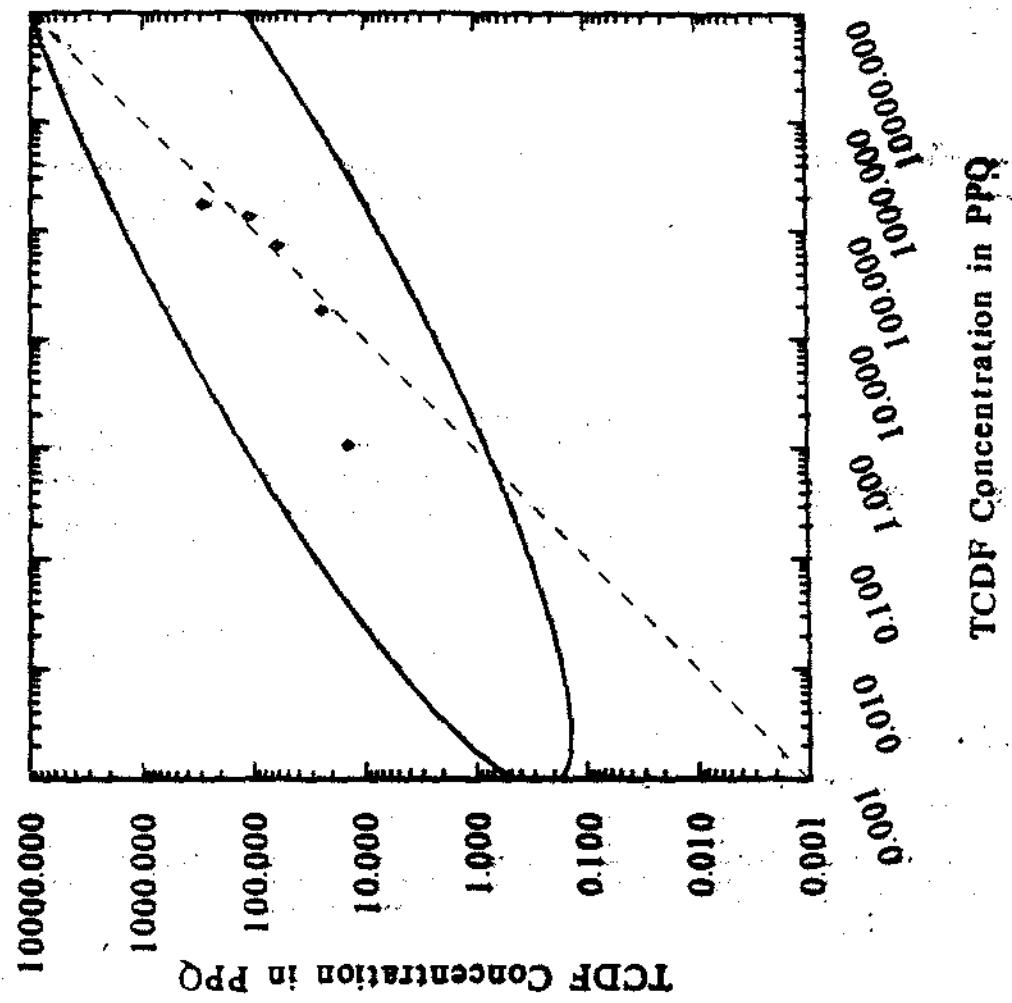


FIGURE 4-16

EFFLUENT LAB DUPLICATES
SULFITE MILLS ONLY
TCDF



5. PARTITIONING OF TCDD/TCDF MASSES INTO EXPORT MATRICES

After analyzing the duplicate lab and field samples, average 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) concentration values were computed for each set of duplicates. These average values were then grouped with non-duplicate samples to produce a modified data set consisting of a single pulp concentration value for each bleach line and single sludge and effluent concentrations at any given mill (non-detects being set to half the reported detection level). The goal in this section was to use the modified concentration data to compute estimates of the actual mass formation rates of TCDD/TCDF for each paper mill and then to characterize how the TCDD/TCDF masses were partitioned into the exported vectors of pulp, sludge, and effluent.

Mass output rates were produced because an estimate of the total amount of TCDD/TCDF generated at each mill could not be made using concentration data alone, since the output flow rates of pulp, sludge, and effluent products varied greatly from mill to mill. The calculations involved multiplication of the concentration level of each pulp, sludge, or effluent sample by the corresponding mass output rate reported for that export vector.

Since the pulp, sludge, and effluent outflow rates were reported in different units, appropriate conversion factors were used as necessary to standardize each mass rate. Total mass export rates of TCDD/TCDF are reported in either lbs/day or lbs/ton Air-dried Brownstock Pulp (ADBSP). The latter rate represents the total output per day divided by the pulp production rate and hence, provides a mass output that is standardized for the size of the mill. (All tables and figures for section 5 are located after the text.)

5.1 VARIABILITY ACROSS EXPORT VECTORS

Tables 5-1 through 5-4 provide relevant descriptive statistics of the mass export rates for TCDD and TCDF, including the number of mills, the mean and standard deviation, the minimum and maximum, the median and upper and lower quartiles, and the 90th percentile of the mass rate distributions. For each

matrix and analyte, probability plots (appendix B) indicated that the TCDD/TCDF mass distributions could be approximated as lognormal. The tables provide corresponding statistics for the percentage of the total output at each mill attributable to each export matrix (pulp, sludge, and effluent). The same statistics were also recomputed after the mills were subdivided by pulping process (kraft and sulfite) and wastewater treatment (Activated Sludge Wastewater Treatment [ACT] and Aerated Stabilization Basins [ASB]).

One of the most apparent findings of these tables is the tremendous variability exhibited from mill to mill within each matrix. Figures 5-1 through 5-4 provide boxplots illustrating the range of variability from different perspectives. The first two figures represent the percentage of total TCDD/TCDF output partitioned to each matrix. Each boxplot was constructed so that the top and bottom edges of the box represent the lower and upper quartiles of the distribution of percentages taken across all mills, while the line dividing the box in two is the median. The two "whiskers" extending from the edges of the box mark a range covering the middle 95 percent of all the data points.

Figures 5-3 and 5-4 represent the distributions of TCDD/TCDF mass formation adjusted for the pulp production rate at each mill (lbs/ton ADBSP). In either case, it is clear that some mills partition much more of their TCDD/TCDF mass to one matrix than the others and that the pattern is not consistent from mill to mill.

5.2 KRAFT VERSUS SULFITE MILLS

To test the significance of the differences between kraft and sulfite mills suggested in Tables 5-1 and 5-3, two-sample t-tests were run on the logged observations of TCDD/TCDF exports: one set for the unadjusted mass rates (lbs/day) and one for the mass rates adjusted by the mill-specific pulp production rate (lbs/ton ADBSP). The results are summarized in Table 5-5.

Since the TCDD/TCDF mass export rates followed approximate lognormal distributions, comparison of these variables was made on the log scale in order to make inferences concerning the t-test as valid as possible. Such inferences are generally valid when the tested data have been sampled from a normal

distribution, but not necessarily in other cases. An important consequence of using the logged data is that comparing arithmetic means on the log scale is equivalent to comparing the geometric means of the mass export rates on the original scale. When data follow an exact lognormal distribution the geometric mean is equivalent to the median. Therefore, the comparison presented here is approximately one between the medians of the original data, which have been listed beside the corresponding means of the logged data in Table 5-5. For highly skewed data, such as that encountered in the 104 Mill Study, medians actually provide a better impression of the bulk of the sample since the effect of outlying points on the median is minimal.

Several points should be kept in mind when interpreting the results of these significance tests. T-tests are designed to indicate how likely it is that an observed mean difference between two groups of sample data reflects an actual difference between the overall means of the populations from which the samples were taken. The "p-value" is one measure of this likelihood and represents the probability that if the study were repeated from scratch and a new set of measurements procured, one would observe a difference between the samples at least as great as the difference already observed, assuming that no real difference was expected. Low p-values suggest that real differences between the two groups probably exist (i.e., that the observed differences are statistically significant).

When comparing the mass rates that are unadjusted for mill-specific pulp production rates (lbs/day), the p-values of Table 5-5 indicate that significantly more TCDD/TCDF was exported at kraft mills than sulfite mills when considered on a total basis and for each export matrix separately.

When the adjusted mass rates (lbs/tow ADBEF) were compared, the results changed only slightly: significantly more TCDD/TCDF mass was exported at kraft mills than sulfite mills for pulp and effluent vectors and for all exports combined. However, the difference between kraft and sulfite mills with respect to TCDD/TCDF in sludge was not found to be statistically significant.

Nevertheless, in the sample data, kraft mills tended to export more sludge-

based TCDD/TCDF on average than their sulfite counterparts.

5.3 ACT VERSUS ASB WASTEWATER TREATMENTS

To interpret the main findings of Tables 5-2 and 5-4 with regard to wastewater treatment differences, Figures 5-5 through 5-8 provide boxplots of the TCDD/TCDF output rates showing the percentage of total output attributable to sludge or effluent vectors, classified by wastewater treatment type.

The boxplots illustrate that the percentages of total TCDD/TCDF output to sludge and effluent vectors were highly variable from mill to mill; however, there was a consistent tendency for the median percentage of TCDD/TCDF outflow to sludge to be much higher for ACT than ASB, and the corresponding percentage of outflow to effluent to be lower. The same differences between treatment types were exhibited by kraft mills considered separately; among sulfite mills, only one with usable data employed ASB-type waste treatment, so a similar comparison was not feasible.

In part, the pattern exhibited in Figures 5-5 through 5-8 with kraft and sulfite mills combined is probably attributable to the limitations of the data. Sludge samples taken from ACT treatment systems consisted of both primary and secondary sludges, while those collected from ASB facilities only comprised primary sludge. Had representative secondary sludges from ASB-type treatment systems been obtainable, the estimated sludge-based TCDD/TCDF mass exports for ASB mills would have probably been higher than observed. Since the overall TCDD/TCDF mass rates would also be higher, this would have simultaneously raised the percent of total TCDD/TCDF output typically attributable to sludge and lowered the percent of total TCDD/TCDF output attributable to effluent, making the observed differences between ACT and ASB treatments less dramatic.

Figures 5-9 through 5-12 provide boxplots of the effluent and sludge TCDD/TCDF mass export rates (in lbs/ton ADASP) on a logarithmic scale, subdivided by type of waste treatment. When considered on a mass rate basis instead of a percentage of total output, sludge-based TCDD/TCDF again appears to be significantly higher on average at ACT mills than ASB mills. How much of this

difference is due to the different nature of the sampled ACT sludges versus ASB sludges can not be estimated.

Sampled effluents from the 104 Mill Study should be more directly comparable, and in this case, the export rates of effluent-based TCDD/TCDF tended to be somewhat higher at ASB mills than ACT mills, though not in every comparison. Median effluent TCDD exports were slightly higher for ASB mills than ACT mills, but the reverse was true for effluent TCDF exports. In both cases, however, the lower and upper quartiles were larger for the set of ASB mills, suggesting that the middle 50 percent of ASB mills tended to export more effluent TCDD/TCDF than the middle 50 percent of ACT mills.

T-tests calculated on the logged TCDD/TCDF mass export rates partially confirmed the visual impressions of Figures 5-9 to 5-12 (Table 5-6). Considered on the basis of production-adjusted mass export rates (lbs/ton ADBSP), no significant differences at the 5 percent level were found between the median effluent export rates of ACT versus ASB mills. However, mills with ACT-type waste treatment exported significantly more TCDD/TCDF in sludge vectors than mills with ASB-type treatment. The same results were echoed by kraft mills considered separately. It should also be noted that the results were somewhat different when considering unadjusted TCDD/TCDF mass output rates (lbs/day). In that case, significantly more effluent TCDD was exported by ASB-type waste treatments than ACT-type treatments; the same was not true for effluent TCDF or for kraft mills considered separately.

5.4 OVERALL PARTITIONING OF TCDD/TCDF

Pie charts representing the overall partitioning of TCDD/TCDF into pulp, sludge, and effluent are presented in Figures 5-13 to 5-16. To construct each pie chart, total TCDD/TCDF mass exports (lbs/day) were summed across all mills for each matrix, and the percentage of the total exported to pulp, sludge, or effluent is shown on the chart. Similar pie charts were also constructed for kraft and sulfite mills considered separately. These pie charts indicate

the estimated total daily outputs of TCDD/TCDF poundage for all U.S. bleached pulp mills that had usable data.

To accompany the pie charts, Tables 5-7 and 5-8 present the total mass outputs of TCDD/TCDF summed across all kraft or sulfite mills, the corresponding average output per mill, and the percentage of the total summed output exported to pulp, sludge, or effluent vectors. The two tables differ in that the first provides total outputs without adjustment for the pulp production rate at each mill, while the second sums the output of each mill after dividing first by the pulp production rate, to normalize for mill size.

TCDD/TCDF outputs for kraft mills were considerably larger on any basis than the outputs for sulfite mills. However, kraft and sulfite mills exhibited similar patterns of the percentages of total output partitioned to different matrices. With one exception (TCDD output at sulfite mills), the largest fraction of TCDD/TCDF mass output was partitioned to pulp, being more than 50 percent for TCDF exports from sulfite mills.

Considering the total estimated mass outputs of TCDD/TCDF for all matrices combined, these data suggest combined production totals of close to 0.004 lbs/day of TCDD and 0.032 lbs/day of TCDF at U.S. bleached pulp mills. Estimates of the per mill averages were close to 0.00005 lbs/day for TCDD and 0.00048 lbs/day for TCDF; however, substantial variation in the TCDD/TCDF mass exports was exhibited from mill to mill.

TABLE 5-1. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TCDD

<u>TCDD Exports</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Std</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Lower Quartile</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Upper Quartile</u>	<u>90th Percentile</u>
All Samples									
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴									
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	101	15.75	22.08	0.072	140.80	1.36	8.86	19.20	45.02
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	99	13.38	34.54	0.000	240.30	0.45	8.86	7.01	34.05
Total TCDD (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	97	12.07	20.93	0.094	123.40	0.99	4.30	14.13	30.11
	95	92.18	61.33	0.507	374.00	5.92	10.60	49.47	115.24
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴									
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	101	1.71	2.27	0.010	13.31	0.30	0.98	2.26	4.38
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	99	1.28	2.60	0.000	13.90	0.05	0.25	1.30	3.88
Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	97	1.22	1.90	0.011	10.88	0.17	0.57	1.30	2.79
	95	4.31	5.31	0.066	30.56	0.96	2.13	5.95	11.02
TCDD OUTPUT to Pulp									
TCDD OUTPUT to Sludge	95	39.92	22.48	2.635	91.08	21.98	40.19	59.03	70.08
TCDD OUTPUT to Effluent	95	25.79	24.39	0.000	83.79	4.31	16.67	45.18	62.60
	95	34.30	23.47	1.536	84.53	14.63	32.10	49.30	72.35
Kraft Samples									
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴									
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	84	18.33	23.25	0.084	140.80	3.20	10.85	23.35	48.58
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	83	15.48	37.34	0.000	240.30	0.46	10.85	7.73	50.49
Total TCDD (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	81	14.09	22.35	0.161	123.40	1.43	5.82	18.04	31.51
	80	46.84	64.55	0.692	374.00	11.43	24.37	68.21	136.78
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴									
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	84	1.95	2.39	0.010	13.31	0.60	1.16	2.38	4.55
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	83	1.44	2.80	0.000	13.90	0.05	0.25	1.46	4.29
Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	81	1.38	2.03	0.011	10.88	0.23	0.61	1.70	3.01
	80	4.86	5.57	0.066	30.56	1.21	2.80	6.53	12.14
TCDD OUTPUT to Pulp									
TCDD OUTPUT to Sludge	80	43.05	20.55	4.046	88.40	24.78	41.90	60.59	70.29
TCDD OUTPUT to Effluent	80	33.91	24.34	0.000	85.79	3.51	15.79	43.50	60.62
	80	33.05	22.71	1.536	86.08	14.66	26.84	46.45	69.20
Sulfite Samples									
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴									
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	15	0.93	1.43	0.072	4.93	0.13	0.20	1.22	4.04
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	14	1.54	2.31	0.026	8.32	0.26	0.20	1.54	6.63
Total TCDD (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	15	1.31	1.33	0.094	4.30	0.24	0.85	1.78	4.19
	14	3.80	3.61	0.507	12.70	1.34	2.43	5.59	11.01
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴									
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	15	0.35	0.77	0.020	3.00	0.03	0.06	0.40	1.73
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	14	0.37	0.44	0.008	1.37	0.04	0.16	0.69	1.24
Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	15	0.33	0.37	0.031	1.28	0.11	0.15	0.42	1.11
	14	1.03	1.19	0.206	4.33	0.27	0.46	1.55	3.32
TCDD OUTPUT to Pulp									
TCDD OUTPUT to Sludge	14	21.99	26.13	2.835	91.08	6.20	10.48	26.87	78.65
TCDD OUTPUT to Effluent	14	35.70	23.72	1.935	77.20	12.23	38.77	55.80	70.98
	14	62.32	27.57	6.981	86.33	12.37	39.54	65.30	86.21

TABLE 5-2. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TCDD (BY MASTERTREAT TREATMENT)

MASTERTREAT TREATMENT-ACT									
	N	Mean	Std.	Minim	Maxim	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile	90 th Percentile
TCDD Exports									
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	41	16.16	25.61	0.072	140.80	1.21	7.28	19.34	47.88
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	39	13.17	21.06	0.026	85.59	1.33	7.28	14.31	30.45
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	40	7.46	10.35	0.094	39.40	0.71	2.88	9.26	29.66
Total TCDD (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	39	37.39	48.33	0.507	261.40	4.97	18.51	46.49	124.00
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	41	1.97	2.47	0.030	13.31	0.27	1.46	2.64	4.51
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	39	1.46	1.71	0.018	6.98	0.20	0.63	2.22	4.40
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	40	0.91	1.12	0.031	5.17	0.14	0.52	1.24	2.79
Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	39	4.36	4.32	0.206	19.94	1.08	2.77	6.47	12.02
TCDD OUTPUT to Pulp	39	39.55	23.57	2.835	91.48	20.71	36.42	62.43	69.91
TCDD OUTPUT to Sludge	39	34.45	21.76	0.809	77.31	16.22	34.26	53.57	64.76
TCDD OUTPUT to Effluent	39	26.90	21.13	1.969	86.33	12.76	20.02	35.40	58.06
MASTERTREAT TREATMENT-ASH									
	N	Mean	Std.	Minim	Maxim	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile	90 th Percentile
TCDD Exports									
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	47	17.21	20.41	0.128	102.40	2.57	11.41	23.65	46.12
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	48	16.45	45.59	0.000	240.30	0.45	11.41	6.61	52.24
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	47	16.55	26.06	0.161	123.40	1.40	9.39	25.07	47.20
Total TCDD (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	44	53.53	75.31	0.902	474.90	10.14	28.70	65.66	150.80
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	47	1.43	2.22	0.020	11.20	0.46	0.88	2.01	3.45
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	44	1.40	3.36	0.000	15.90	0.05	0.18	0.77	4.19
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	44	1.66	2.53	0.011	19.88	0.19	0.67	1.81	6.17
Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADSSP)*10 ⁶	44	4.53	6.46	0.066	30.56	1.01	2.07	5.84	14.25
TCDD OUTPUT to Pulp	44	40.97	21.35	4.046	69.40	24.78	40.95	55.97	71.75
TCDD OUTPUT to Sludge	44	21.41	25.65	0.000	63.79	2.70	7.82	34.62	69.23
TCDD OUTPUT to Effluent	44	38.92	22.95	4.536	86.98	23.65	35.28	56.01	72.65

TABLE 5-3. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TCDF

<u>TCDF Exports</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Std</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Lower Quartile</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Upper Quartile</u>	<u>90th Percentile</u>
All Samples									
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	102	147.80	339.14	0.053	3523.00	5.26	31.63	127.62	356.47
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	102	82.92	273.27	0.000	3394.00	1.73	31.63	41.93	189.82
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	99	94.14	229.62	0.054	3542.00	4.33	15.35	71.96	273.40
Total TCDF (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	96	334.30	711.90	0.743	4511.00	22.50	74.64	328.92	735.14
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	102	30.96	62.53	0.010	524.01	0.93	3.94	13.89	45.58
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	102	18.75	23.77	0.000	195.59	0.17	1.36	5.26	23.30
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	99	12.67	41.60	0.018	363.71	0.64	2.08	7.22	29.99
Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	96	63.29	116.62	0.147	953.88	3.46	8.62	30.42	120.54
I TCDF Output to Pulp	96	43.96	23.37	0.580	92.18	23.33	45.23	61.64	76.84
I TCDF Output to Sludge	96	25.83	24.98	0.000	93.81	2.94	18.98	44.90	62.02
I TCDF Output to Effluent	96	30.22	32.19	0.323	86.84	11.04	26.23	44.47	64.62
Kraft Samples									
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	85	162.67	363.34	0.459	3523.00	10.93	35.75	132.20	399.20
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	85	94.41	297.17	0.000	3394.00	1.59	35.75	57.59	203.36
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	82	106.85	248.81	0.417	3542.00	5.07	21.96	77.66	282.64
Total TCDF (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	80	374.93	764.28	2.128	4511.00	29.30	98.79	370.95	795.62
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	85	32.67	67.53	0.090	524.01	1.65	4.30	14.09	44.17
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	85	19.67	25.72	0.000	195.59	0.12	1.32	6.26	28.32
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	82	14.37	45.30	0.048	363.71	0.78	2.51	8.11	30.39
Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	80	68.33	126.16	0.147	953.88	4.66	10.45	33.19	122.87
I TCDF Output to Pulp	80	46.67	21.34	0.383	92.18	26.04	45.49	64.27	77.09
I TCDF Output to Sludge	80	23.32	23.46	0.000	93.81	3.76	15.59	43.01	60.36
I TCDF Output to Effluent	80	30.02	21.41	0.323	86.84	11.22	26.99	44.47	64.26
Sulfite Samples									
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	15	52.06	159.47	0.053	613.70	0.18	2.03	8.54	325.42
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	15	14.26	39.09	0.000	134.90	1.77	2.03	7.46	69.09
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	15	26.17	70.82	0.054	273.40	0.59	1.61	8.18	153.42
Total TCDF (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	14	89.12	275.66	0.763	1044.00	4.31	9.19	22.29	564.41
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	15	10.79	26.49	0.010	85.80	0.05	0.42	1.98	73.08
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	15	2.71	5.41	0.000	21.59	0.18	1.40	2.87	11.56
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	15	3.96	9.67	0.018	38.10	0.19	0.73	4.00	19.57
Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	14	13.01	38.04	0.243	145.48	0.94	3.47	8.65	78.03
I TCDF Output to Pulp	14	26.67	28.18	0.590	90.70	6.47	12.10	53.80	74.87
I TCDF Output to Sludge	14	40.83	29.73	2.002	93.81	13.81	39.25	62.01	88.62
I TCDF Output to Effluent	14	32.70	28.06	0.324	86.84	8.08	25.28	54.09	81.92

TABLE 5-4. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TCDF (BY WASTEWATER TREATMENT)

TCDF Expressions	WASTEWATER TREATMENT-FACT						Upper Percentile 90th
	N	Mean	Std	Minima	Maxima	Lower Percentile 90th	
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	41	111.81	166.86	0.053	964.40	5.01	28.45
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	41	72.40	147.58	0.000	846.00	4.72	28.45
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	41	49.60	86.40	0.054	422.00	1.83	12.00
Total TCDF (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	39	233.07	348.74	0.743	1484.00	20.64	79.23
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	41	17.75	34.61	0.010	193.81	1.06	4.34
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	41	8.93	45.03	0.000	168.05	1.27	2.87
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	41	7.62	16.36	0.018	90.95	0.43	2.08
Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	39	33.33	57.24	0.243	299.61	3.76	11.13
% TCDF Output to Pulp	39	40.66	23.27	0.590	90.70	22.34	30.90
% TCDF Output to Sludge	39	37.67	23.67	0.613	93.81	19.79	36.92
% TCDF Output to Effluent	39	21.68	18.74	2.264	77.28	7.76	15.25
 WASTEWATER TREATMENT-ASP							
TCDF Expressions	N	Mean	Std	Minima	Maxima	Lower Percentile 90th	Upper Percentile 90th
	48	209.26	456.76	0.319	2323.00	7.04	38.97
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	48	111.53	323.28	0.000	2394.00	1.67	38.97
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	48	159.44	321.38	0.417	3462.00	5.02	31.79
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	48	486.64	967.80	2.128	4311.00	26.68	96.39
Total TCDF (lbs/day)*10 ⁴	45	427.68	85.11	0.050	124.01	0.72	3.94
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	48	10.55	31.64	0.000	195.59	0.12	0.70
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	48	19.87	59.20	0.048	365.21	0.70	1.99
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	45	69.21	160.73	0.147	953.88	3.06	8.44
Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁴	45	65.77	22.76	4.383	92.18	24.66	45.54
% TCDF Output to Pulp	45	19.50	23.96	0.000	91.35	2.87	6.73
% TCDF Output to Sludge	45	34.74	20.53	0.323	74.99	15.17	32.83
% TCDF Output to Effluent	45	34.74	20.53	0.323	74.99	15.17	32.83

FIGURE 5-1

% OUTPUT BY MATRIX
TCDD

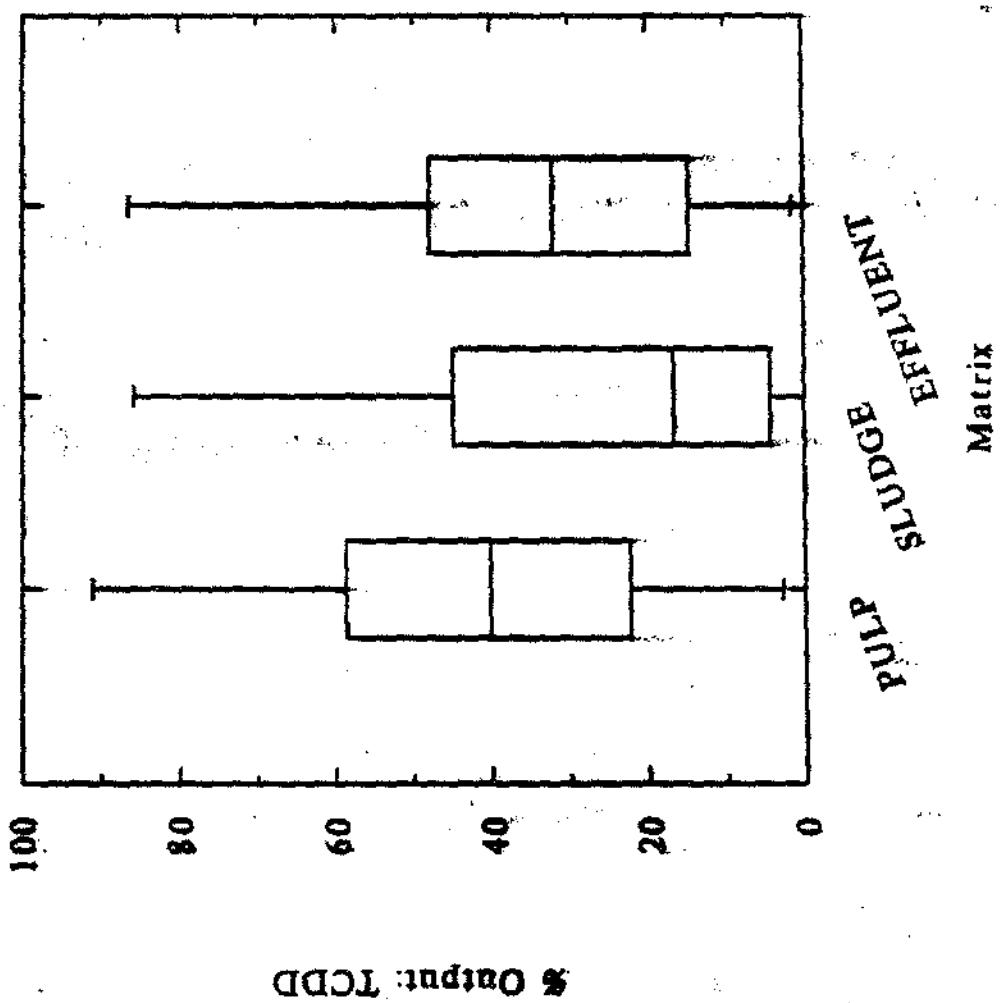
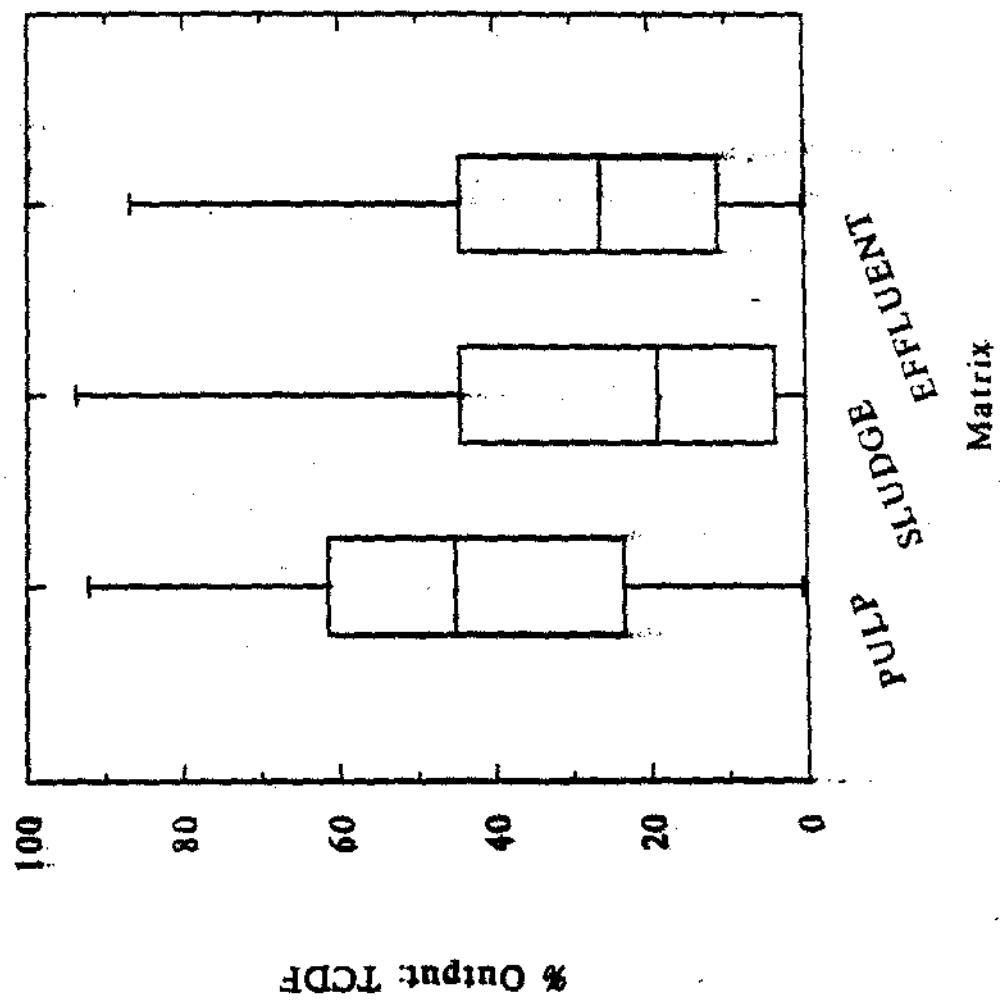


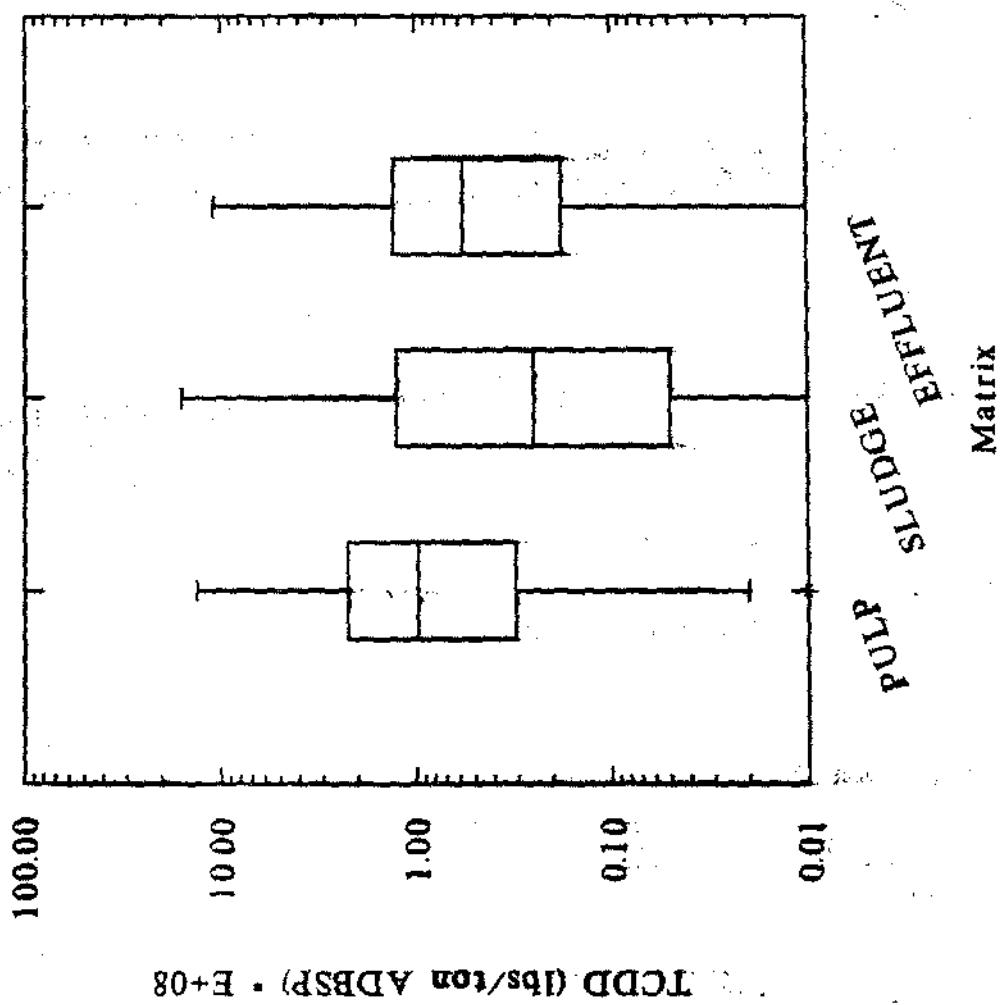
FIGURE 5-2

% OUTPUT BY MATRIX TCDF



ADJUSTED TCDD BY MATRIX

FIGURE S-3



ADJUSTED TCDF BY MATRIX

FIGURE 5-4

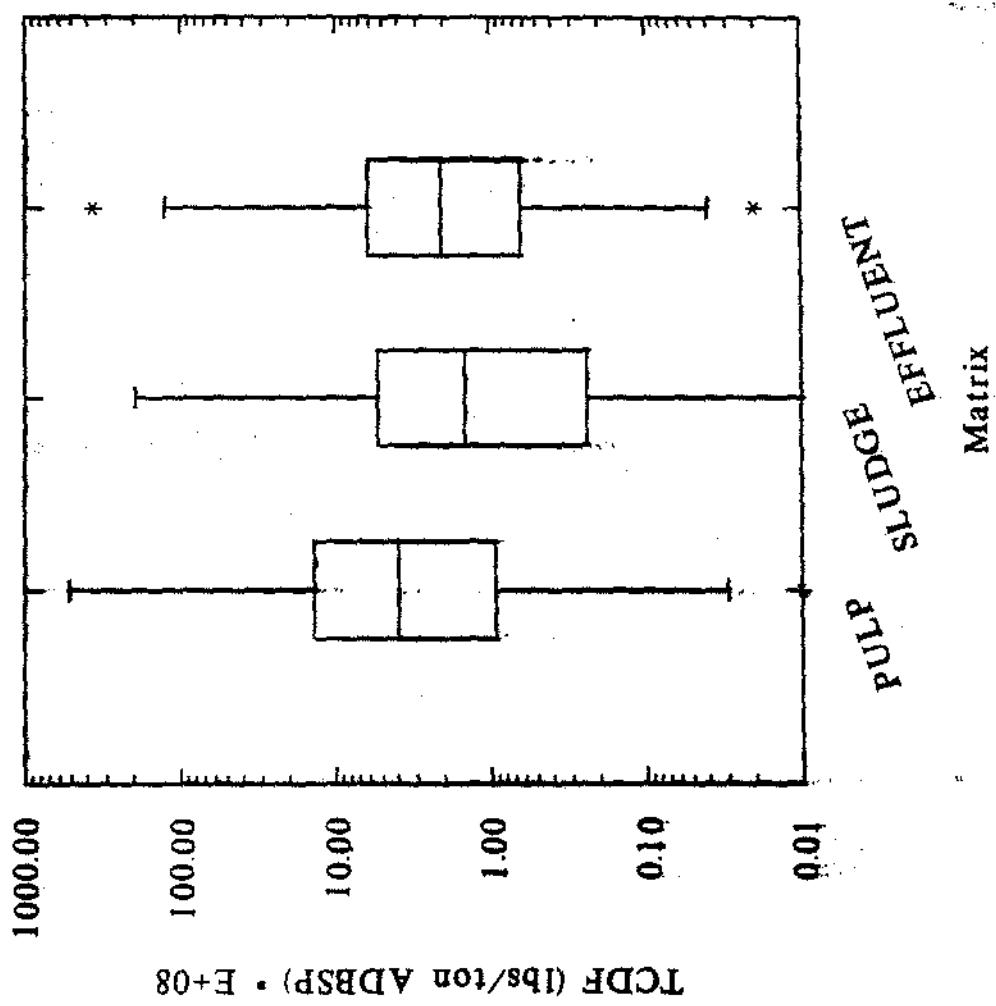


TABLE 5-5. DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PULPING PROCESSES

KRAFT vs. SULFITE

<u>TCDD Exports</u> <u>(lbs/day) * 10⁶</u>	N	Median	Logged Mean	t-stat	p-value
Total TCDD					
Kraft	79	24.4	1.355	7.371	.000
Sulfite	14	2.4	0.411		
Pulp TCDD					
Kraft	84	10.8	0.892	7.804	.000
Sulfite	15	0.2	-0.426		
Sludge TCDD					
Kraft	76	10.8	0.474	3.324	.003
Sulfite	14	0.2	-0.191		
Effluent TCDD					
Kraft	80	5.8	0.714	5.365	.000
Sulfite	15	0.8	-0.122		

<u>TCDF Exports</u> <u>(lbs/day) * 10⁶</u>	N	Median	Logged Mean	t-stat	p-value
Total TCDF					
Kraft	79	98.8	2.021	4.363	.000
Sulfite	14	9.2	1.050		
Pulp TCDF					
Kraft	85	35.8	1.588	4.259	.001
Sulfite	15	2.0	0.302		
Sludge TCDF					
Kraft	76	35.8	1.120	2.405	.027
Sulfite	14	2.0	0.466		
Effluent TCDF					
Kraft	81	22.0	1.340	3.434	.003
Sulfite	15	1.6	0.416		

Note: Two-sample t-tests for difference between logged means

TABLE 5-5. DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PULPING PROCESSES (CONTINUED)

KRAFT vs SULFITE

TCDD Exports (lbs/ton ADBSP) * 10 ³	N	Median	Logged Mean	t-stat	p-value
Total TCDD					
Kraft	79	2.8	0.420	4.792	.000
Sulfite	14	0.5	-0.192		
Pulp TCDD					
Kraft	84	1.2	-0.028	5.530	.000
Sulfite	15	0.1	-1.010		
Sludge TCDD					
Kraft	76	0.25	-0.478	1.527	.140
Sulfite	14	0.16	-0.794		
Effluent TCDD					
Kraft	80	0.6	-0.212	3.677	.001
Sulfite	15	0.2	-0.705		

TCDF Exports (lbs/ton ADBSP) * 10 ³	N	Median	Logged Mean	t-stat	p-value
Total TCDF					
Kraft	79	10.4	1.087	3.026	.007
Sulfite	14	3.5	0.447		
Pulp TCDF					
Kraft	85	4.3	0.664	3.044	.008
Sulfite	15	0.4	-0.281		
Sludge TCDF					
Kraft	76	1.3	0.169	1.097	.286
Sulfite	14	1.4	-0.137		
Effluent TCDF					
Kraft	81	2.5	0.414	2.389	.028
Sulfite	15	0.7	-0.167		

Note: Two-sample t-tests for difference between logged means

FIGURE 5-5

% OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
EFFLUENT TCDD

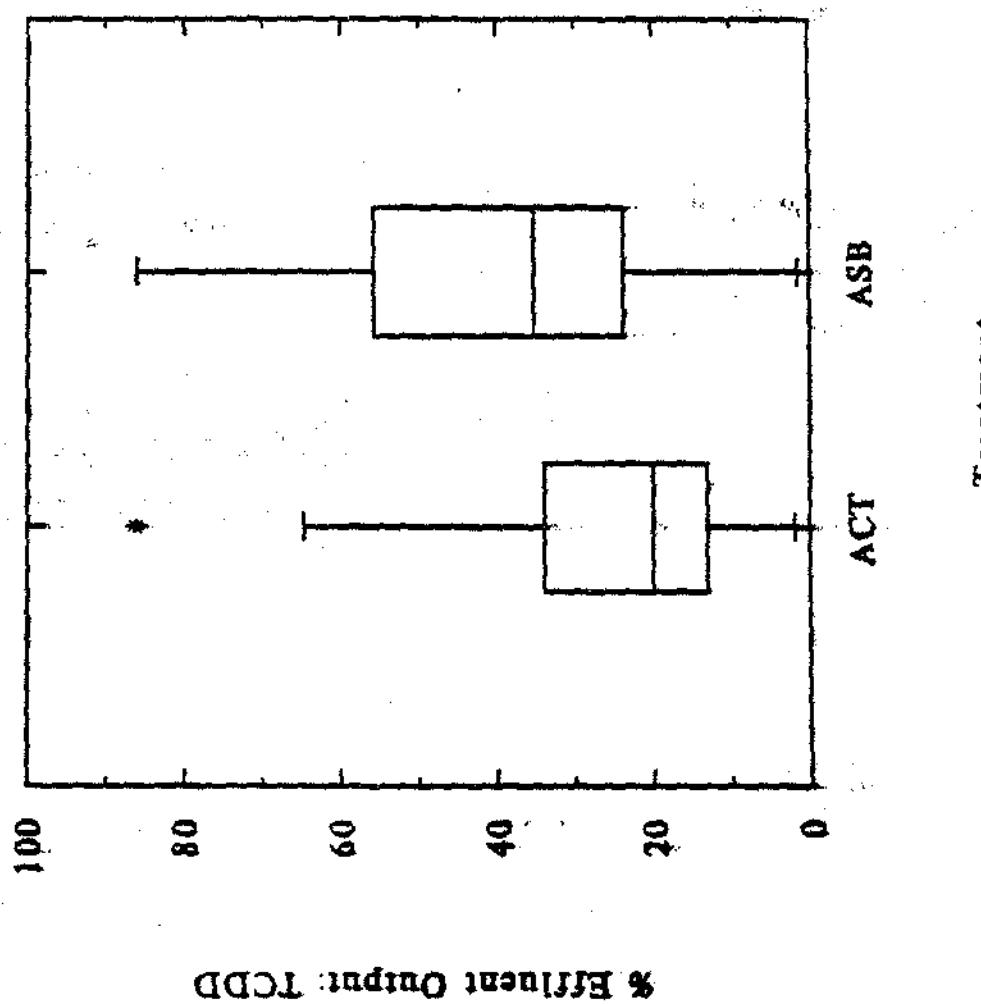
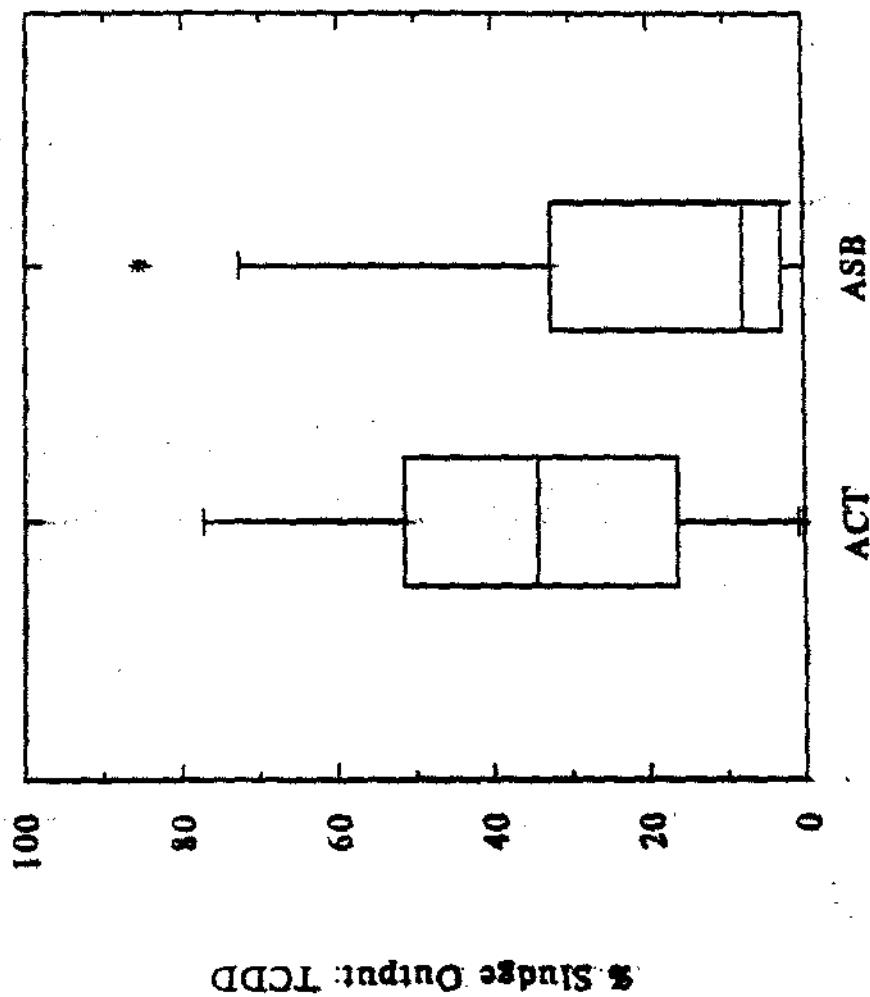


FIGURE 5-6

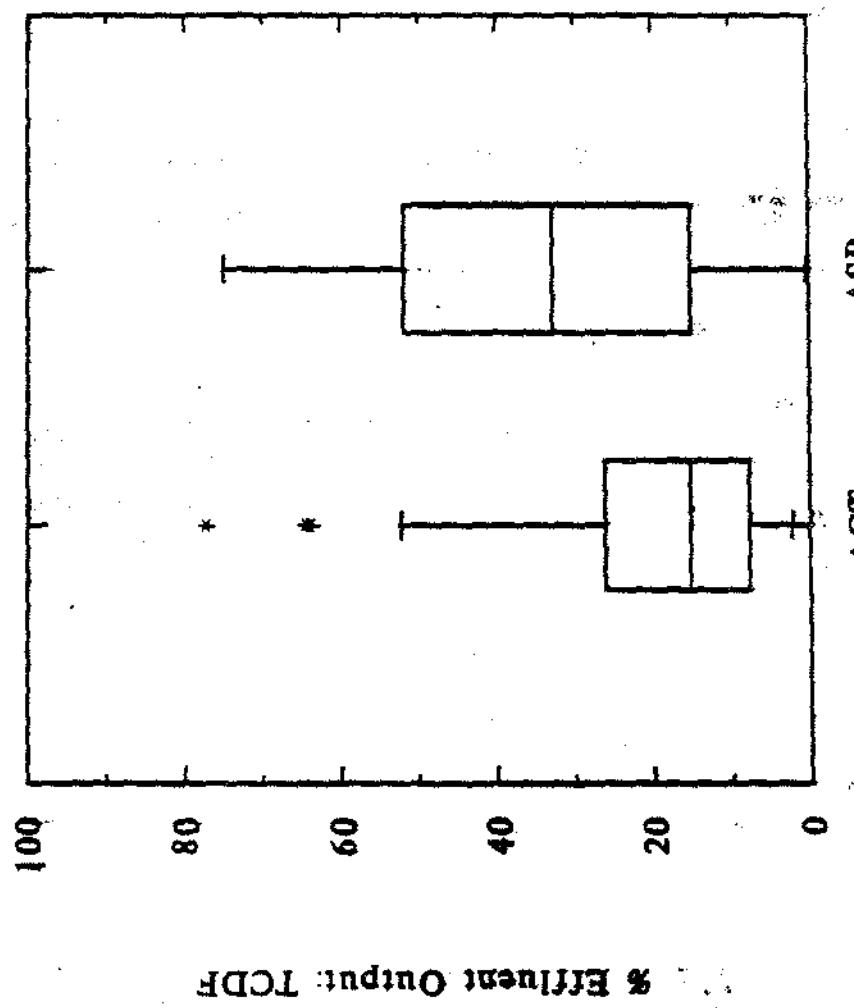
% OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
SLUDGE TCPP



g Sludge Output: TCPP

FIGURE 5-7

% OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
EFFLUENT TCDF



Treatment

FIGURE 5-8

% OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
SLUDGE TCDF

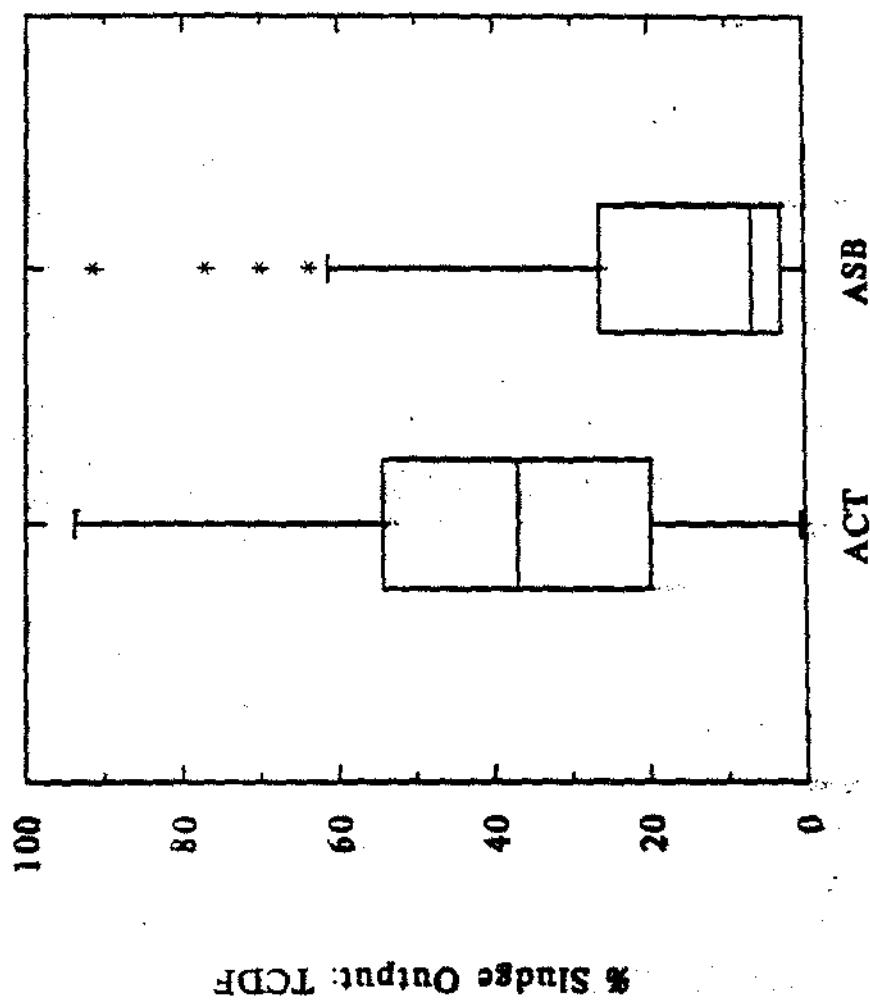
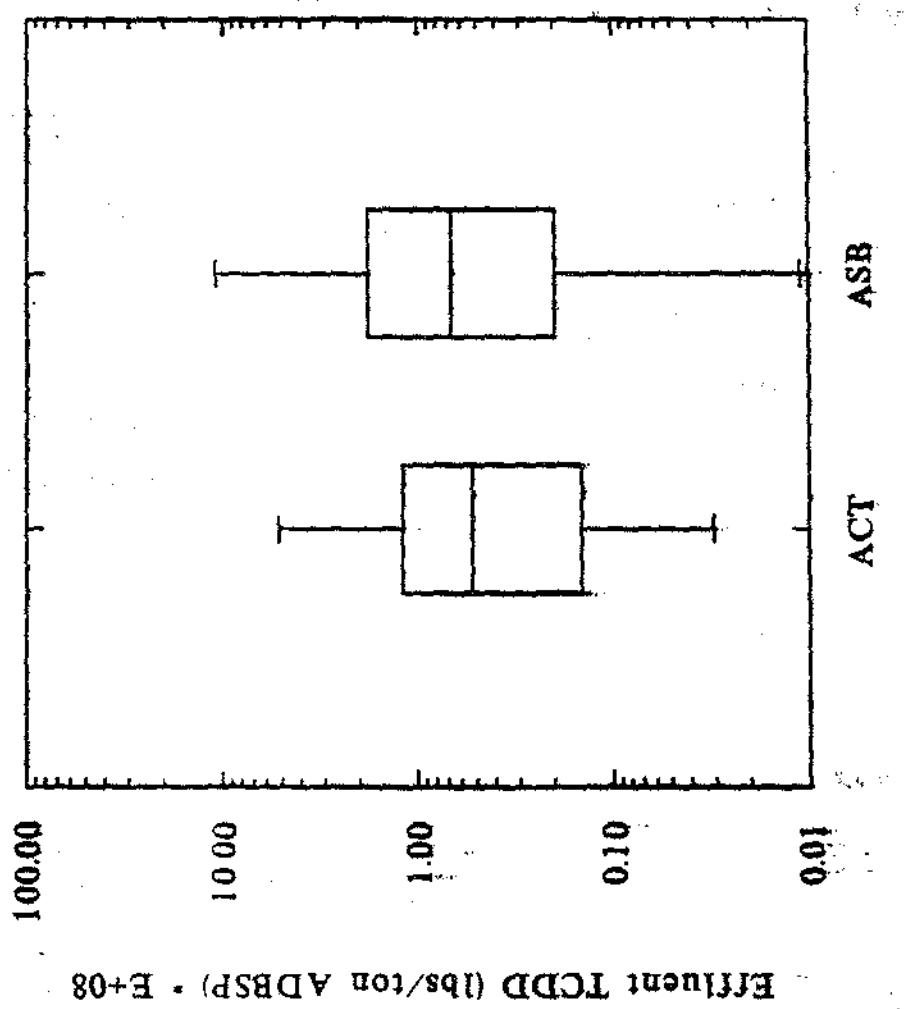


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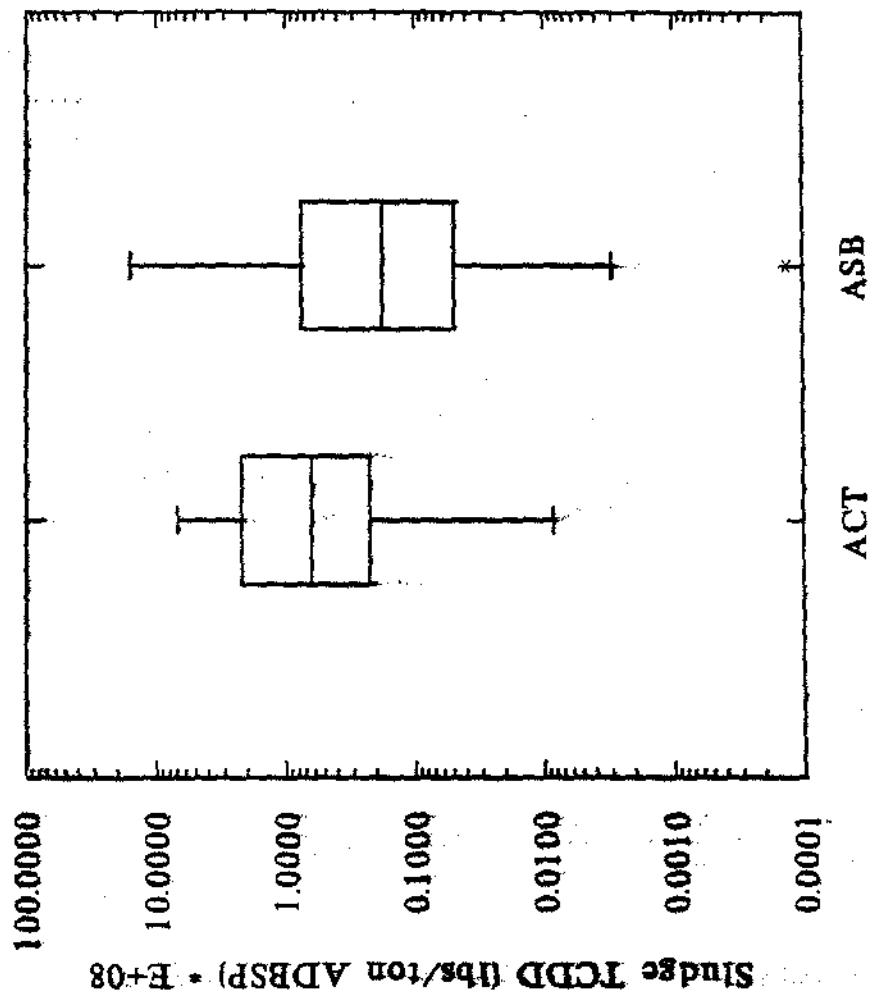
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FIGURE 5-10

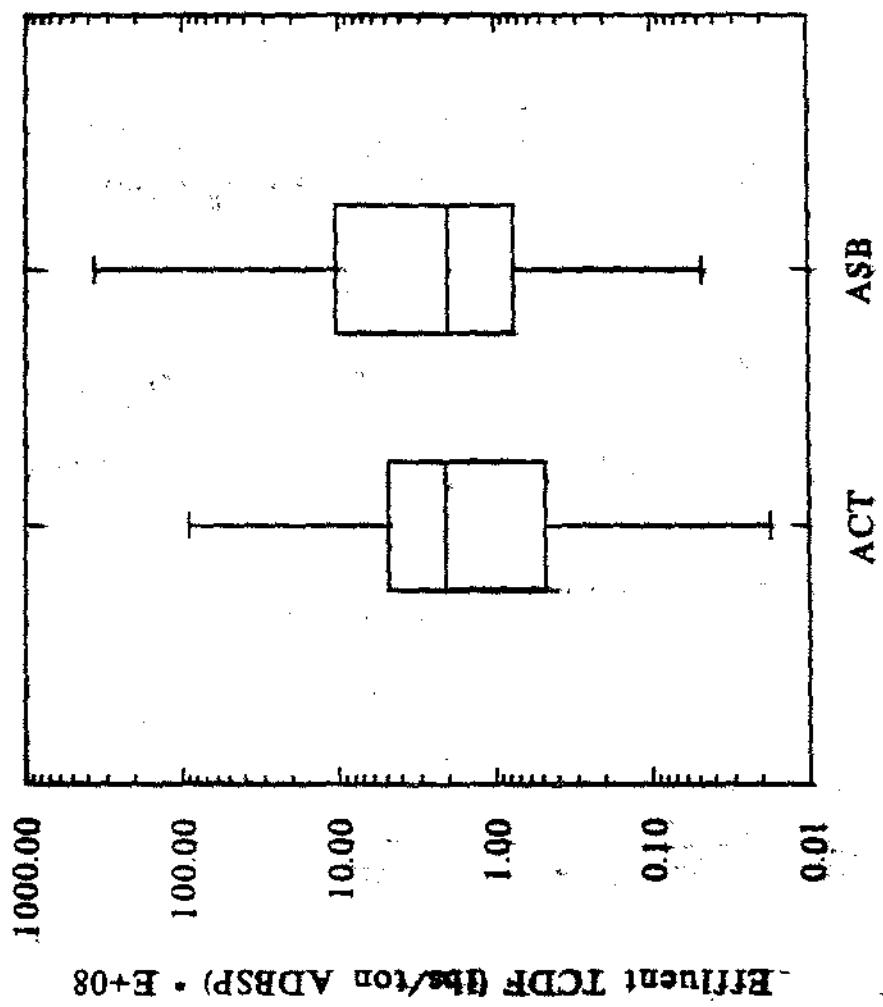
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ADJUSTED EFFLUENT TCDF

FIGURE 5-11



Treatment

FIGURE 5-12

ADJUSTED SLUDGE TCDF

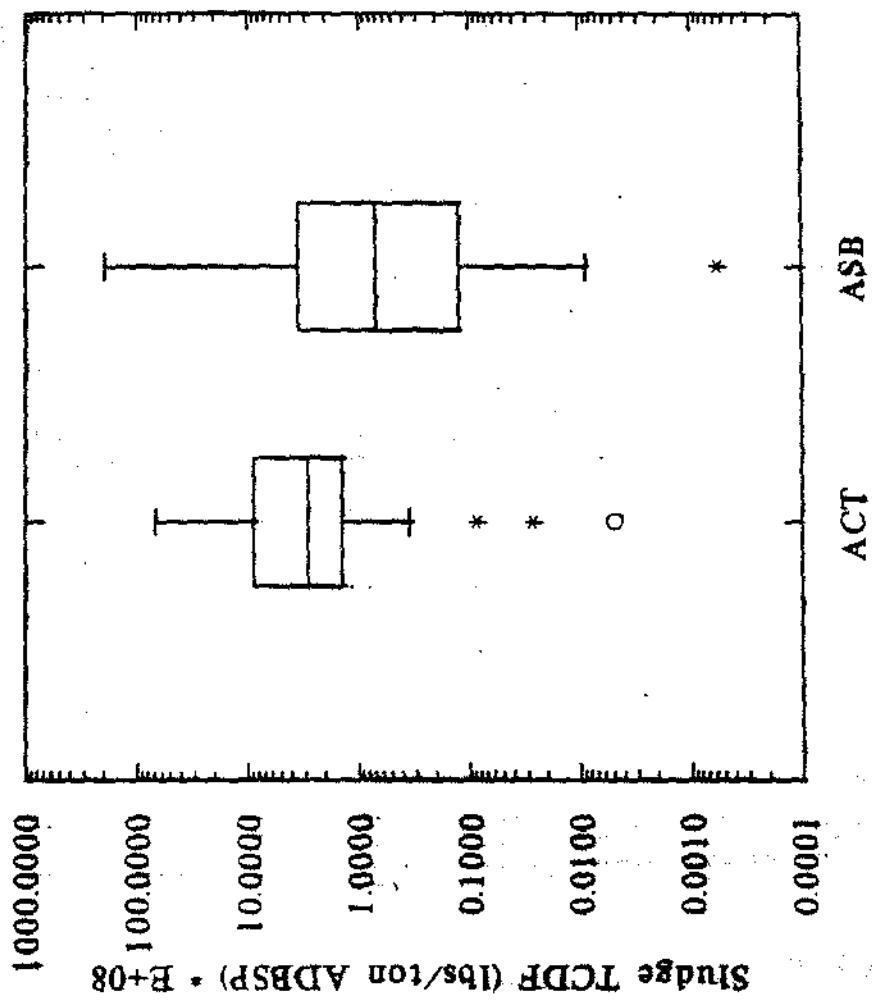


TABLE 5-6. DIFFERENCES BETWEEN TREATMENT TYPES

ACT vs ASB

<u>All Mills (lbs/day) * 10⁶</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Logged Mean</u>	<u>t-stat</u>	<u>p-value</u>
Effluent TCDD					
ACT	40	2.9	0.409	-2.583	.012
ASB	43	9.4	0.820		
Sludge TCDD					
ACT	39	7.3	0.566	1.245	.217
ASB	45	11.4	0.324		
Effluent TCDF					
ACT	42	12.0	1.111	-1.456	.149
ASB	41	31.8	1.403		
Sludge TCDF					
ACT	39	28.4	1.230	1.262	.211
ASB	45	39.0	0.954		

<u>Kraft Mills (lbs/day) * 10⁶</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Median</u>	<u>Logged Mean</u>	<u>t-stat</u>	<u>p-value</u>
Effluent TCDD					
ACT	28	4.5	0.625	-1.438	.156
ASB	41	10.3	0.862		
Sludge TCDD					
ACT	28	5.8	0.829	2.459	.016
ASB	42	2.0	0.341		
Effluent TCDF					
ACT	29	22.8	1.337	-0.489	.627
ASB	41	31.8	1.434		
Sludge TCDF					
ACT	28	33.7	1.525	2.745	.008
ASB	42	6.6	0.938		

Note: Two-sample t-tests for difference between logged means

TABLE 5-6. DIFFERENCES BETWEEN TREATMENT TYPES (CONTINUED)

ACT VS. ASB

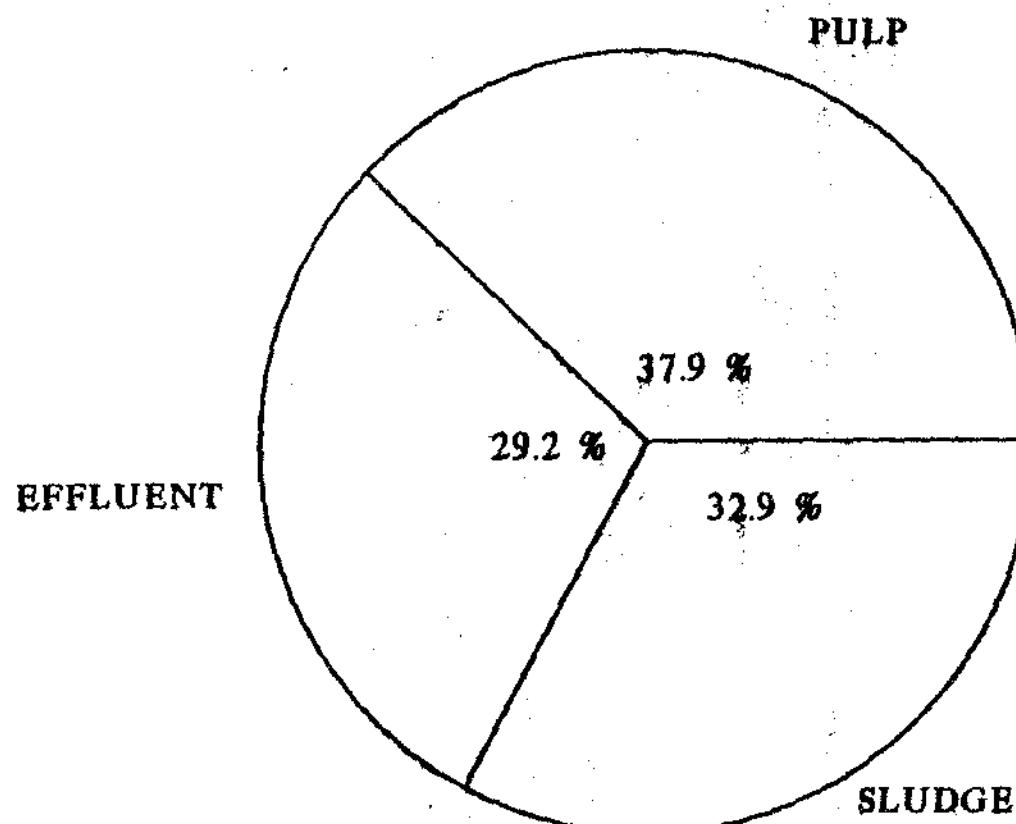
All Mills (lbs/ton ADBSP) * 10 ³	N	Median	Logged Mean	t-stat	p-value
Effluent TCDD					
ACT	40	0.5	-0.351	-1.201	.233
ASB	43	0.7	-0.191		
Sludge TCDD					
ACT	39	0.6	-0.205	2.672	.009
ASB	45	0.2	-0.699		
Effluent TCDF					
ACT	41	2.1	0.238	-1.074	.286
ASB	44	2.0	0.436		
Sludge TCDF					
ACT	39	2.9	0.458	2.462	.016
ASB	45	0.7	-0.069		

Kraft Mills (lbs/ton ADBSP) * 10 ³	N	Median	Logged Mean	t-stat	p-value
Effluent TCDD					
ACT	28	0.6	-0.219	-0.430	.668
ASB	41	0.9	-0.158		
Sludge TCDD					
ACT	28	1.0	-0.015	3.518	.001
ASB	42	0.2	-0.687		
Effluent TCDF					
ACT	29	3.1	0.489	0.388	.699
ASB	41	2.0	0.415		
Sludge TCDF					
ACT	28	5.0	0.681	3.612	.001
ASB	42	0.8	-0.090		

Note: Two-sample t-tests for difference between logged means

FIGURE 5-13

TOTAL TCDD EXPORTS (lbs/day) * E+06
ALL MILLS INCLUDED

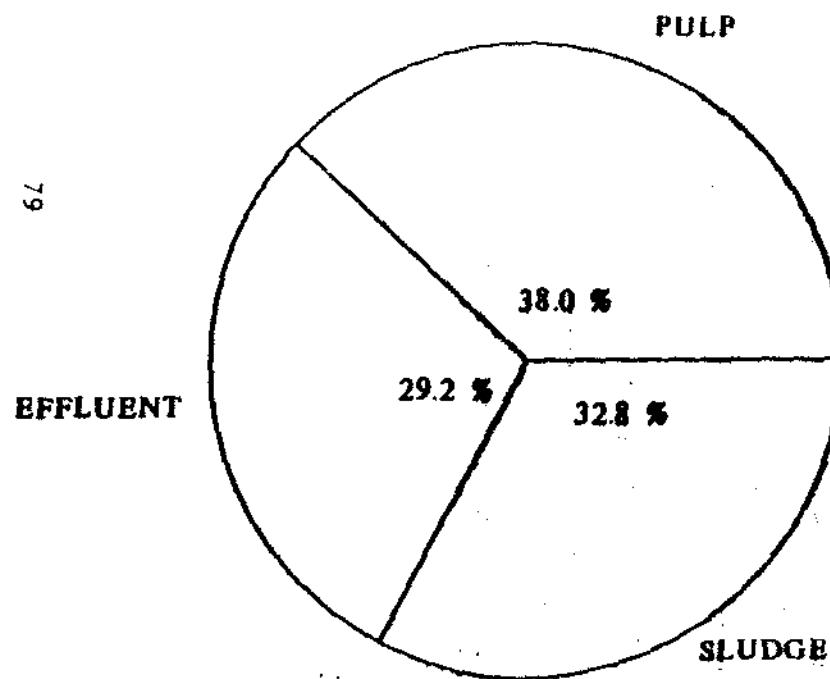


MATRIX	SUM
PULP	1.517
SLUDGE	1.319
EFFLUENT	1.170
TOTAL	4.006

FIGURE 5-14

TOTAL OUTPUT: TCDD

KRAFT MILLS



SULFITE MILLS

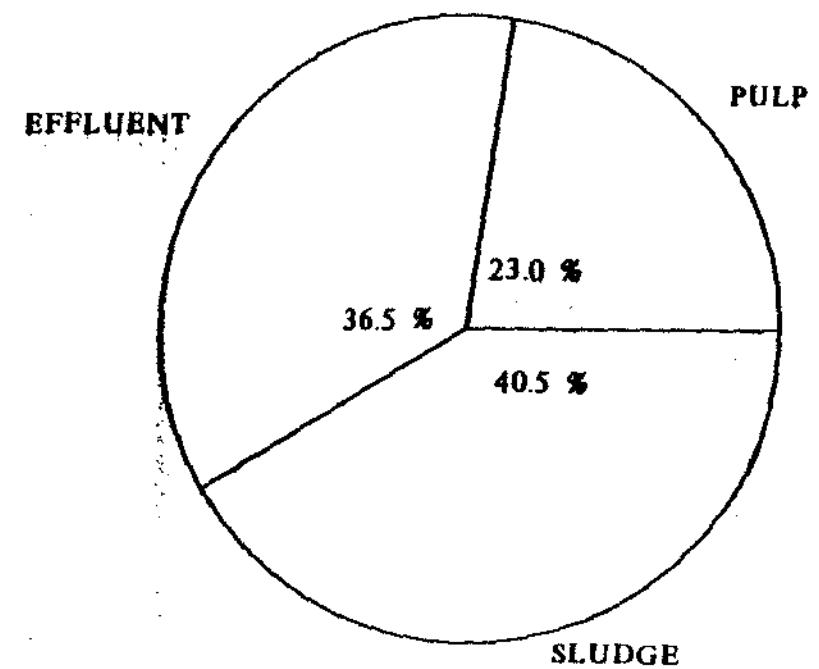
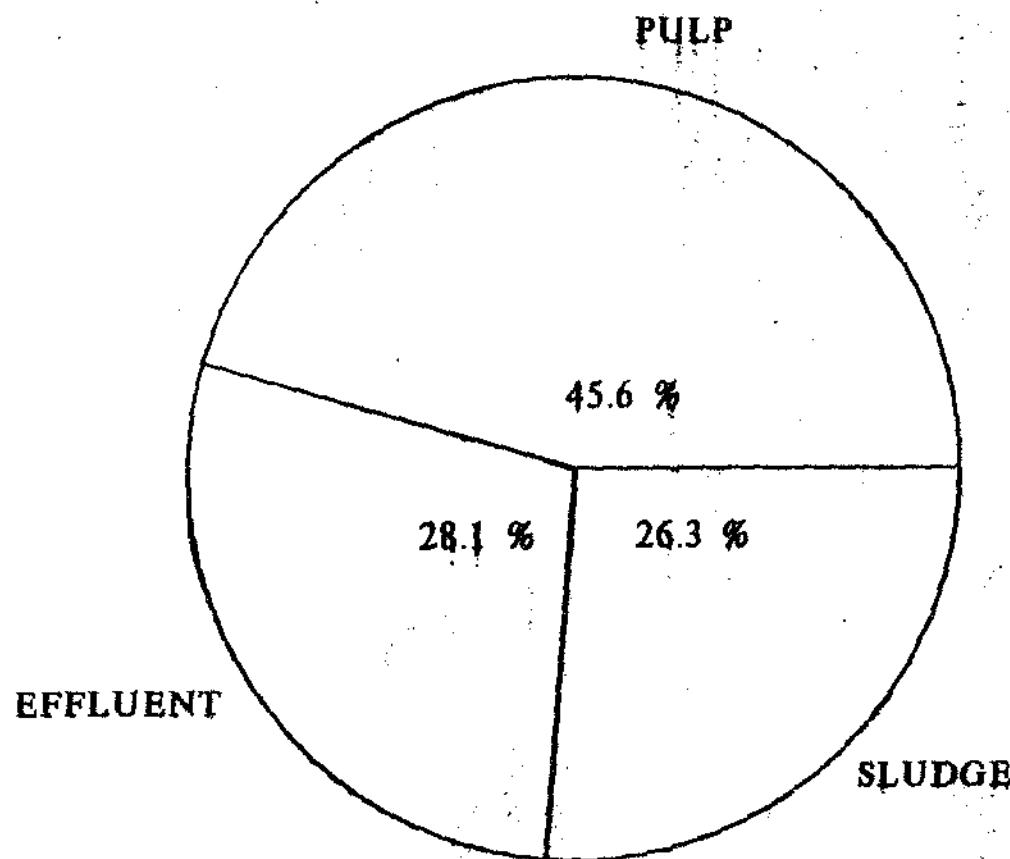


FIGURE 5-15

TOTAL TCDF EXPORTS (lbs/day) * E+06
ALL MILLS INCLUDED

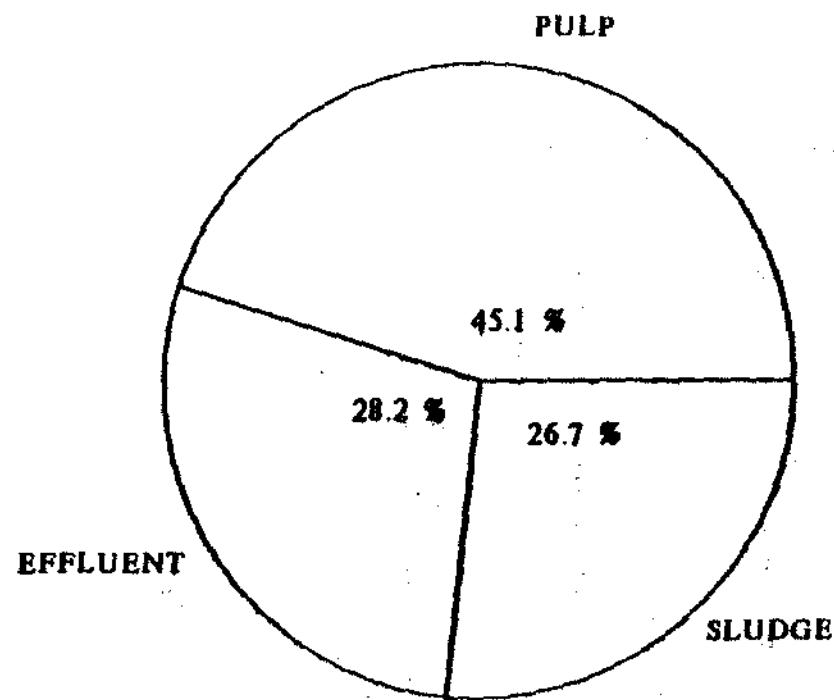


MATRIX	SUM
PULP	14.642
SLUDGE	8.429
EFFLUENT	9.024
TOTAL	32.095

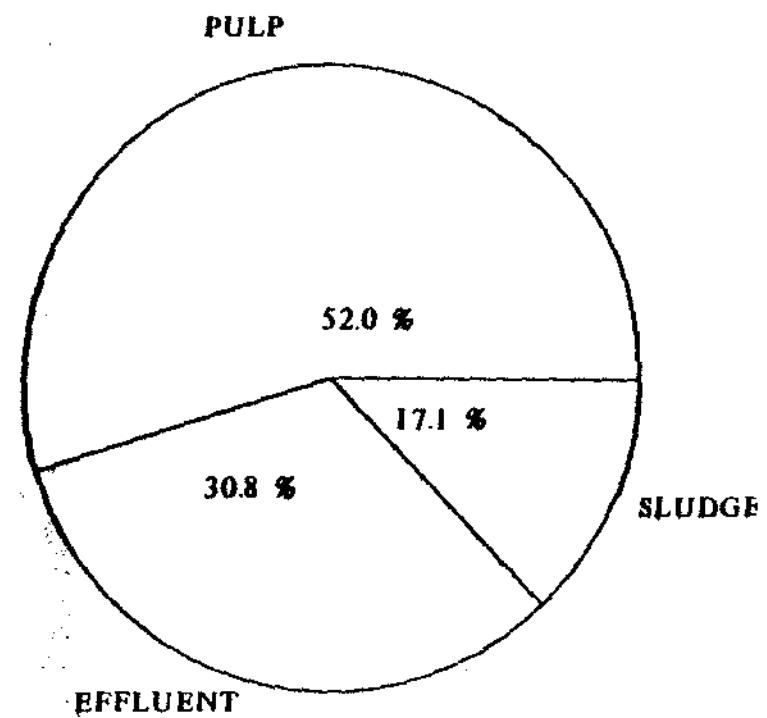
FIGURE 5-16

TOTAL OUTPUT: TCDF

KRAFT MILLS



SULFITE MILLS



Note: Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding error.

TABLE 5-7. STATISTICS FOR TCDD/TCDF (BY MILL PROCESS)

Mill Process-Kraft

<u>TCDD Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	1,486	18.6	38.0
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	1,280	16.0	32.8
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	1,141	14.3	29.2
Total TCDD (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	3,907	48.8	100.0

Mill Process-Sulfite

<u>TCDD Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	12	0.9	23.0
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	22	1.6	40.5
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	19	1.4	36.5
Total TCDD (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	53	3.8	100.0

Mill Process-Kraft

<u>TCDF Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	13,525	169.1	45.1
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	7,996	100.0	26.7
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	8,475	105.9	28.2
Total TCDF (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	80	29,996	374.9	100.0

Mill Process-Sulfite

<u>TCDF Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	649	46.4	52.0
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	214	15.3	17.1
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	384	27.5	30.8
Total TCDF (lbs/day)*10 ⁶	14	1,248	89.1	100.0

Note: Discrepancies may result due to rounding errors.

TABLE 5-8. STATISTICS FOR TCDD/TCDF (BY MILL PROCESS)

Mill Process-Kraft

<u>TCDD Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	158	2.0	40.7
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	119	1.5	30.7
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	111	1.4	28.6
Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	388	4.9	100.0

Mill Process-Sulfite

<u>TCDD Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDD in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	4	0.3	30.6
TCDD in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	5	0.4	36.0
TCDD in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	5	0.3	33.4
Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	14	1.0	100.0

Mill Process-Kraft

<u>TCDF Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	1,902	23.8	49.2
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	819	10.2	21.2
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	1,145	14.3	29.6
Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	80	3,866	48.3	100.0

Mill Process-Sulfite

<u>TCDF Exports</u>	N	Sum	Mean	% (Total)
TCDF in Pulp (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	97	6.9	50.3
TCDF in Sludge (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	41	2.9	21.1
TCDF in Effluent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	55	4.0	28.7
Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10 ⁸	14	193	13.8	100.0

Note: Discrepancies may result due to rounding errors.

6. ANALYSIS OF TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS

Since the preceding analysis uncovered differences between treatment types Activated Sludge Wastewater Treatment (ACT) and Aerated Stabilization Basins (ASB) with regard to the rates at which 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) were exported to sludge and effluent vectors, a more extensive analysis was made on a measured variable suspected to affect wastewater treatment performance: total suspended solids (TSS). It has been suggested that ACT and ASB treatments differ significantly with regard to average TSS levels, so the goal of the analysis in section 6 was to assess any potential relationship between TCDD/TCDF formation in sludge and effluent and total suspended solids levels at the waste treatment facilities.

Since important characteristics of kraft and sulfite mills were quite different, any potential relationship between TCDD/TCDF formation and TSS might be masked if both mill types were analyzed together. As it was, the number of sulfite mills was small, and only one sulfite mill with usable data employed an ASB-type waste treatment, so the analysis was confined to ACT-treated or ASB-treated kraft mills. (Please note that all figures and tables are located at the end of the text.)

Preliminary examination of the TSS data indicated that the distribution of values could be approximated by a lognormal density (appendix B). A subsequent two-sample t-test on the logged TSS values indicated that the average total suspended solids content of ACT systems was significantly higher than that for ASB systems at the 5 percent level. Variation in the TSS data by treatment type is shown in the boxplot of Figure 6-1; descriptive statistics for the TSS levels are provided in Table 6-1, classified by pulping process and wastewater treatment.

Given the observed difference in treatment types with respect to average TSS levels, the next step was to determine to what degree TSS levels could explain differences due to wastewater treatment in TCDD/TCDF mass outputs to sludge and effluent. Relationships between TSS and TCDD/TCDF mass exports to

sludge and effluent were explored and tested for statistical significance. Using TSS as the independent variable, the dependent variables included TCDD/TCDF mass exports to sludge and effluent in both lbs/day and lbs/ton Air-Dried Brownstock Pulp (ADBSP).

Examination of the dependent variables and their distributional characteristics via probability plots indicated that the TCDD/TCDF mass output variables might reasonably be characterized by lognormal distributions (appendix B). Plots were then made of TSS versus each of the dependent variables on a log-log scale, which enabled estimation of regression equations from data that resembled bivariate normal scatterclouds, a prerequisite for using normal theory estimates of the stability of the regression lines.

Each of the scatterplots was overlaid with a best fitting linear regression and 90 percent confidence bands. The 90 percent confidence bands provide an approximate confidence interval for the estimated regression mean within the range of the data at each value along the independent axis. Computation of each confidence band was based upon the t-statistic for the estimated linear slope and the estimated standard error in the dependent variable at any given point x_0 along the independent axis.

Visual inspection of Figures 6-2 through 6-5 indicates that for any fixed TSS level, the variability "from mill to mill" in effluent and sludge TCDD/TCDF mass exports was substantial. The regression lines overlaying the plots estimated the average behavior of the TCDD/TCDF exports as TSS levels varied; however, none of the correlations between TSS and TCDD/TCDF exports was very strong. Clearly, TSS is not the only factor that affects amounts of TCDD/TCDF found in sludge and effluent, and it may not be a dominant factor.

The estimated regression equations are presented in Tables 6-2 and 6-3. Note that since the regressions were performed on the logged data, the relationships suggested are not linear in the original units. Rather, the model implies that when the slope coefficient is significantly different from zero, the TCDD/TCDF mass output is proportional to a power of the TSS level.

Tables 6-2 and 6-3 confirm that the correlations between TSS and the corresponding TCDD/TCDF mass outputs were rather weak. The largest fraction of explained variance (as indicated by the R^2 statistic) for any of the variables was less than 5 percent. The linear regressions suggest that TCDD/TCDF effluent mass rates increased somewhat with larger TSS levels, while TCDD/TCDF sludge mass rates decreased slightly as TSS increased. However, none of the estimated regression slopes were significantly different from zero at the 5 percent level. Very similar results were found for each matrix and analyte when considering either the unadjusted or adjusted mass export rates.

Since ASB and ACT-type treatments were combined in the previous plots, the last step in this section was to subdivide mills by waste treatment and recompute possible linear relationships between TSS and the TCDD/TCDF mass exports. This was considered important primarily because the sludge samples taken at ASB facilities consisted of primary sludge only, while those at ACT facilities consisted of composite samples of primary and secondary sludges. Figures 6-6 to 6-9 are redrawings of Figures 6-2 to 6-5 that indicate the type of waste treatment used at each scatterpoint (ACT or ASB), and a regression overlay corresponding to each wastewater subgroup. The separate regression equations for each type of waste treatment are presented in Tables 6-4 through 6-7.

For both wastewater treatment types, large TSS levels were somewhat associated with higher TCDD/TCDF exports to effluent and lower TCDD/TCDF exports to sludge. In each case, however, the data from ACT-type treatment facilities were more sharply sloped than data from ASB systems. These visual results were supported by the regression statistics listed in Tables 6-4 through 6-7. None of the estimated slopes for the ASB mills were significant at the 5 percent level; however, several of the relationships between TSS and TCDD/TCDF exports to sludge and effluent were significant for ACT mills. Again, the estimated correlations were weak, but in some cases total suspended solids accounted for close to 20 percent of the total variability in TCDD/TCDF mass sludge and effluent exports at mills using ACT treatment.

Based on this analysis, it is difficult to determine whether TSS influences the proportions of TCDD/TCDF mass exported to sludge and effluent vectors. The

proportion of total variation in the TCDD/TCDF data explained by the TSS level (through the R^2 statistic) did not exceed 20 percent for any of the regressions calculated. It is also possible that other variables were present in these data that might have masked relationships between TSS and TCDD/TCDF exports. The study design did not permit a more complete analysis. However, there did appear at least a weak link between the TSS level and the TCDD/TCDF sludge and effluent export rates for kraft mills using ACT-type wastewater facilities. If such a link exists, the level of TSS may help to explain the observed differences between ASB and ACT waste treatments with respect to TCDD/TCDF found in sludge and effluent.

FIGURE 6-1

TSS BY TREATMENT
TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY

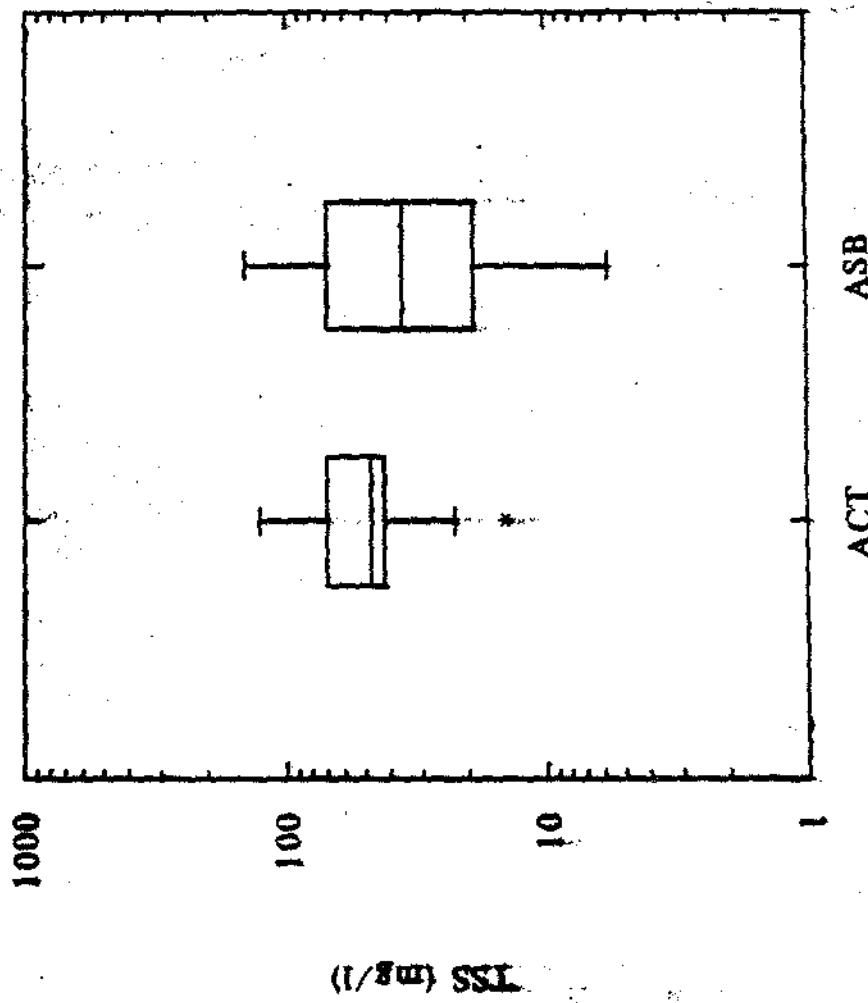


TABLE 6-1. DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS FOR TSS

	N	Mean	Std	Minimum	Maximum	Lower Quartile	Median	Upper Quartile	90 th Percentile
All Mills	81	61.50	50.48	5.800	273.00	25.63	46.30	81.15	126.72
Kraft Mills	67	52.61	36.19	5.800	144.60	22.40	45.80	70.00	115.40
ACT	25	60.02	34.40	14.400	144.60	41.90	47.20	78.25	119.80
ASB	42	68.20	36.91	5.800	143.80	18.95	35.70	69.88	112.26
Sulfite Mills	12	111.85	85.69	26.800	273.00	32.44	87.05	182.20	264.18

FIGURE 6-2

EFFLUENT TCDD OUTPUT
TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY

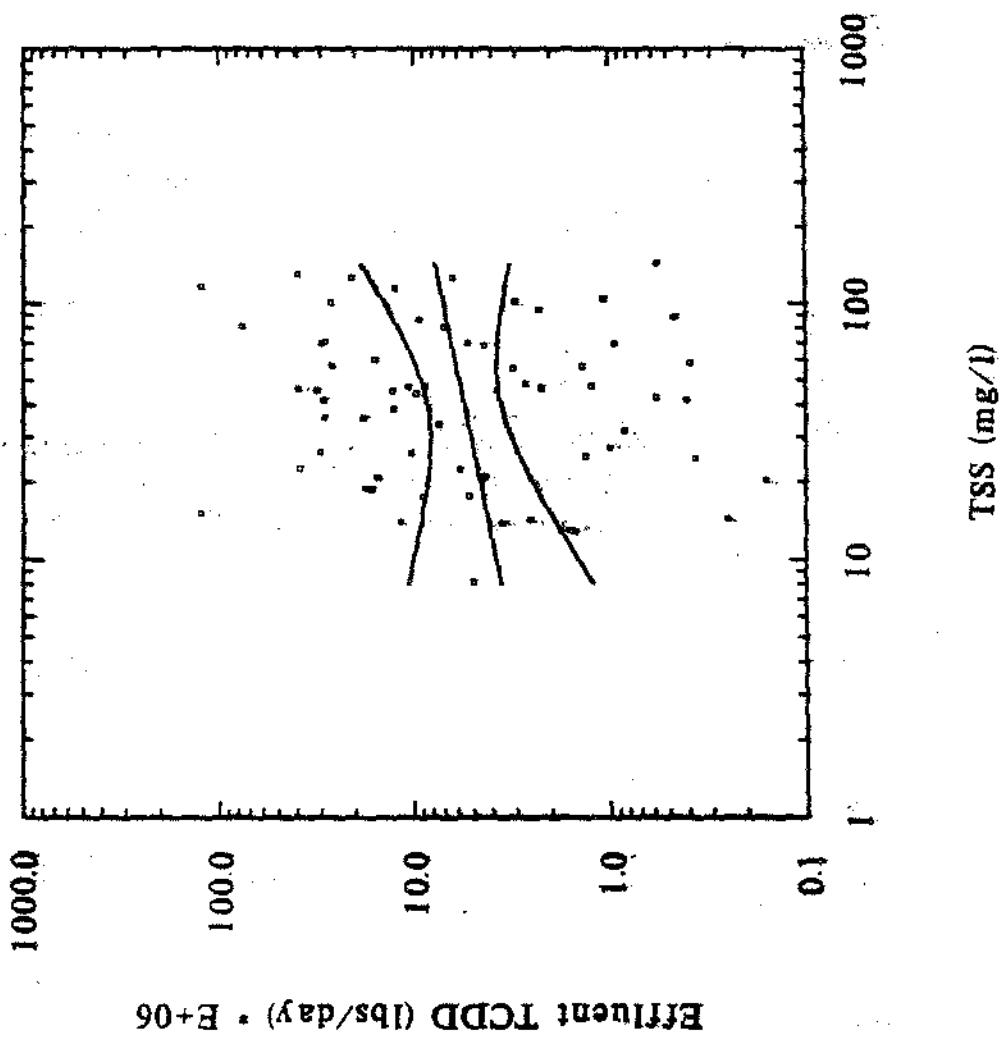


FIGURE 6-3

SLUDGE TCDD OUTPUT

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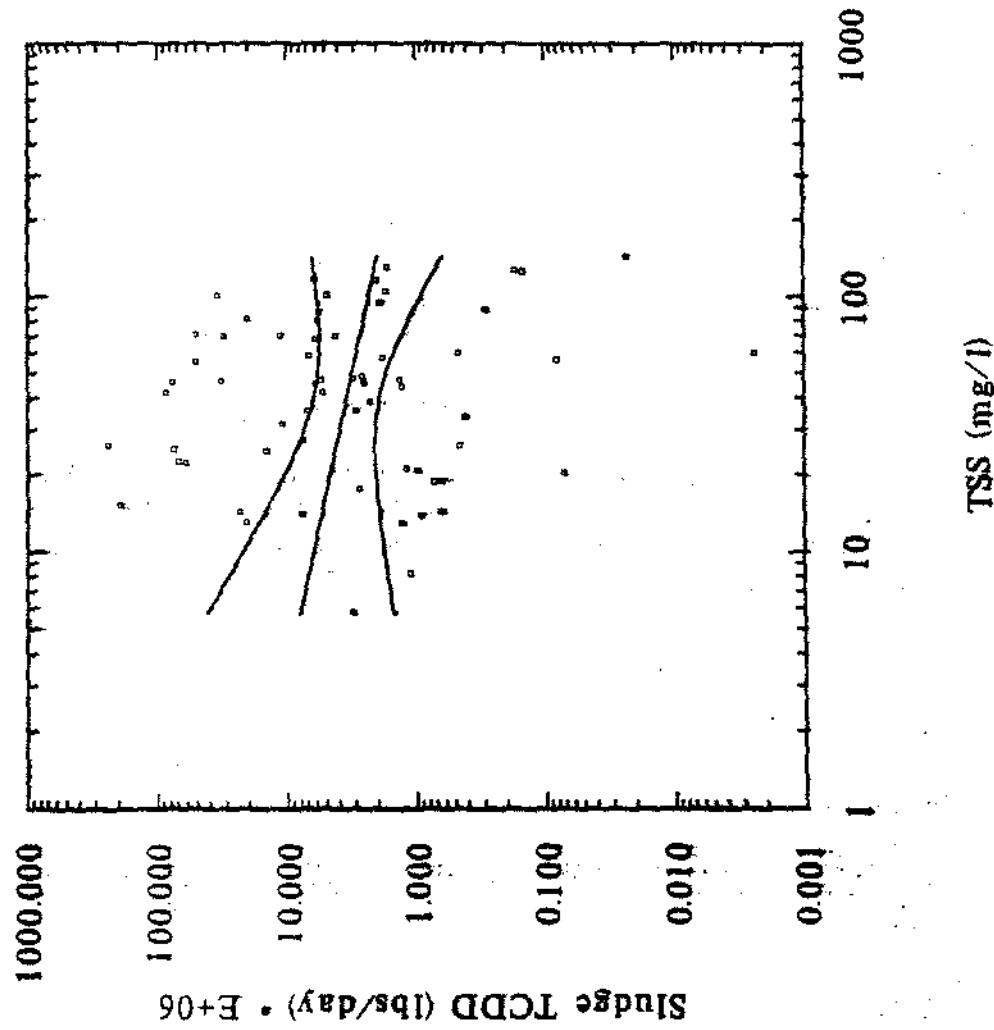


FIGURE 6-4

EFFLUENT TCDF OUTPUT
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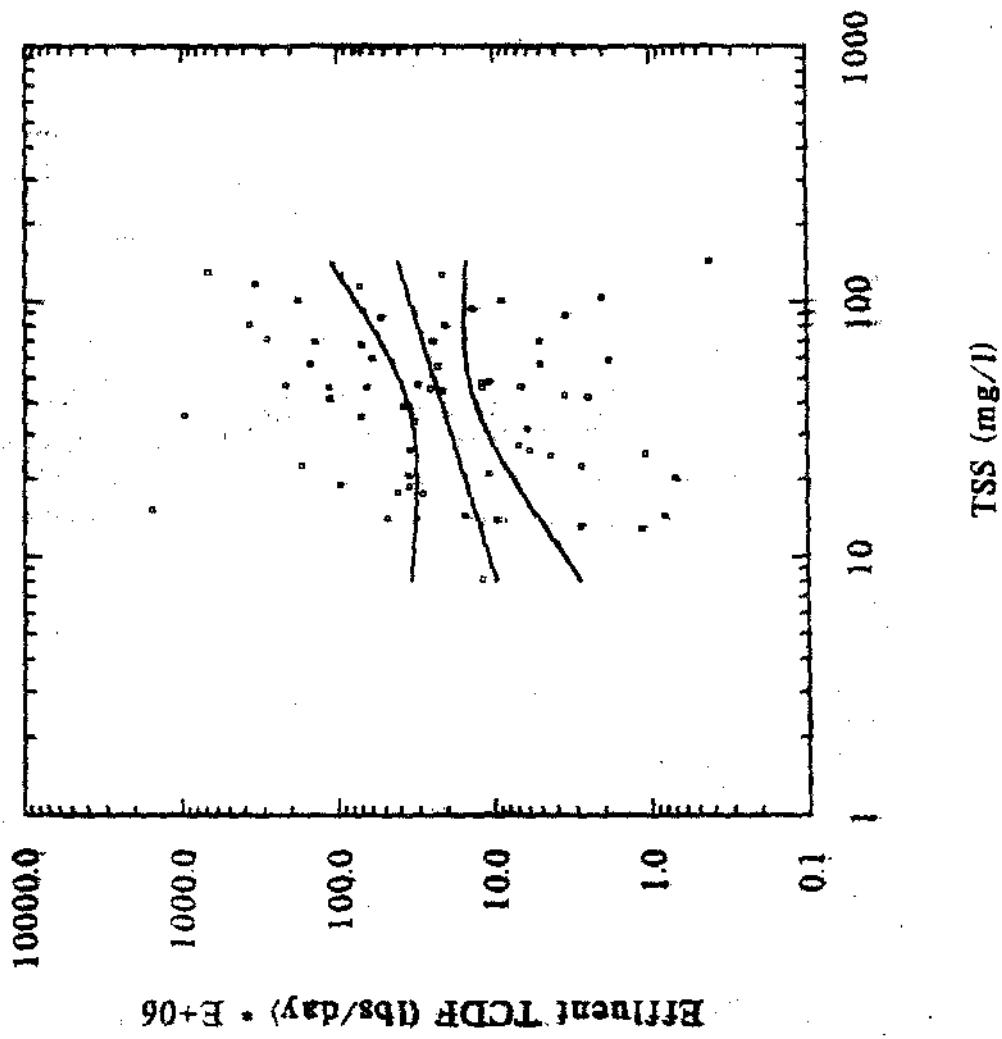


FIGURE 6-3

SLUDGE TCDF OUTPUT
TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY

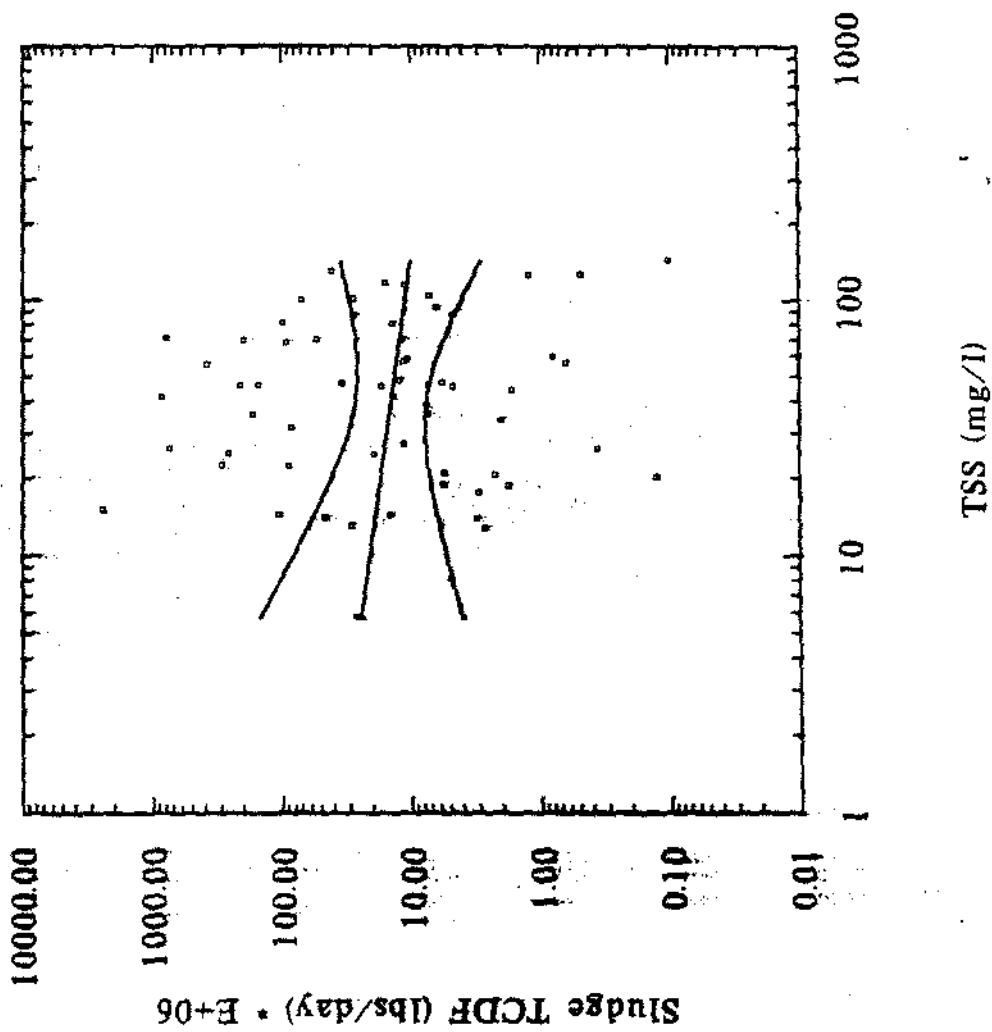


TABLE 6-2: TCDD EXPORTS (TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY)

TSS (mg/l) vs Sludge TCDD (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Sludge TCDD}) = 1.227 - 0.431 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .022

Adjusted R² = .006

S.E. of Regression = 0.933

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.596	2.059	0.044
Independent	0.363	-1.187	0.240

TSS (mg/l) vs Effluent TCDD (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Effluent TCDD}) = 0.313 + 0.268 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .014

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 0.687

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.461	0.684	0.497
Independent	0.281	0.953	0.344

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Sludge TCDD (lbs/ton ADESP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Sludge TCDD}) = 0.157 - 0.373 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .016

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 0.961

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.614	0.256	0.798
Independent	0.374	-0.998	0.322

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Effluent TCDD (lbs/ton ADESP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Effluent TCDD}) = -0.713 + 0.311 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .026

Adjusted R² = .010

S.E. of Regression = 0.589

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.396	-1.802	0.076
Independent	0.241	1.290	0.202

TABLE 6-3. TCDF EXPORTS (TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY)

TSS (mg/l) vs Sludge TCDF (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\log_{10}(\text{Sludge TCDF}) = 1.599 - 0.277 * \log_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .008

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 1.010

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.645	2.480	0.016
Independent	0.393	-0.704	0.484

TSS (mg/l) vs Effluent TCDF (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\log_{10}(\text{Effluent TCDF}) = 0.538 + 0.489 * \log_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .037

Adjusted R² = .022

S.E. of Regression = 0.787

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.528	1.018	0.313
Independent	0.322	1.553	0.126

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Sludge TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\log_{10}(\text{Adjusted Sludge TCDF}) = 0.530 - 0.219 * \log_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .004

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 1.066

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.681	0.778	0.440
Independent	0.415	-0.527	0.600

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Effluent TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\log_{10}(\text{Adjusted Effluent TCDF}) = -0.491 + 0.542 * \log_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .048

Adjusted R² = .032

S.E. of Regression = 0.751

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.505	-0.972	0.335
Independent	0.307	1.765	0.082

FIGURE 6-6

EFFLUENT TCDD OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY

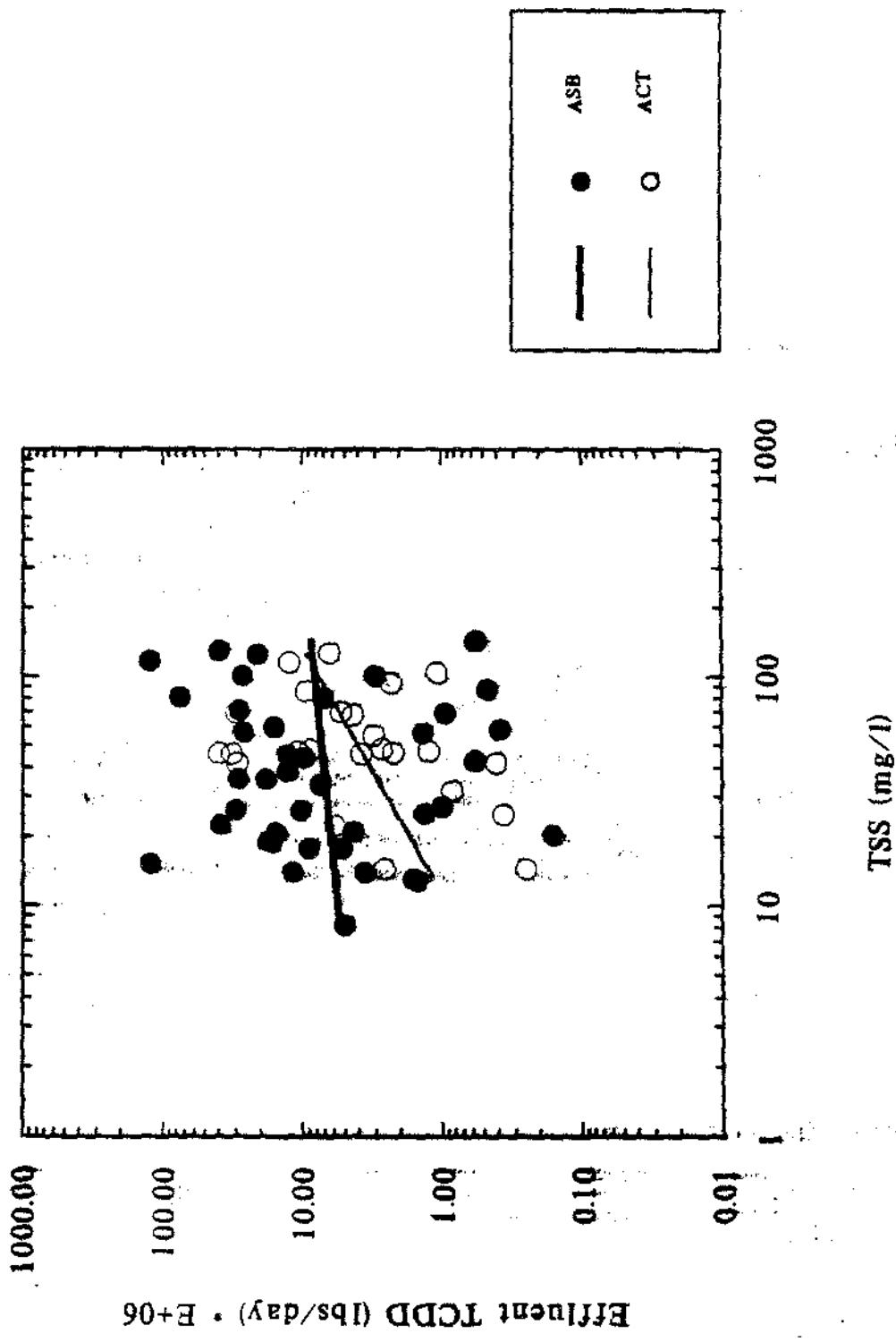


FIGURE 6-1

SLUDGE TCDD OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY

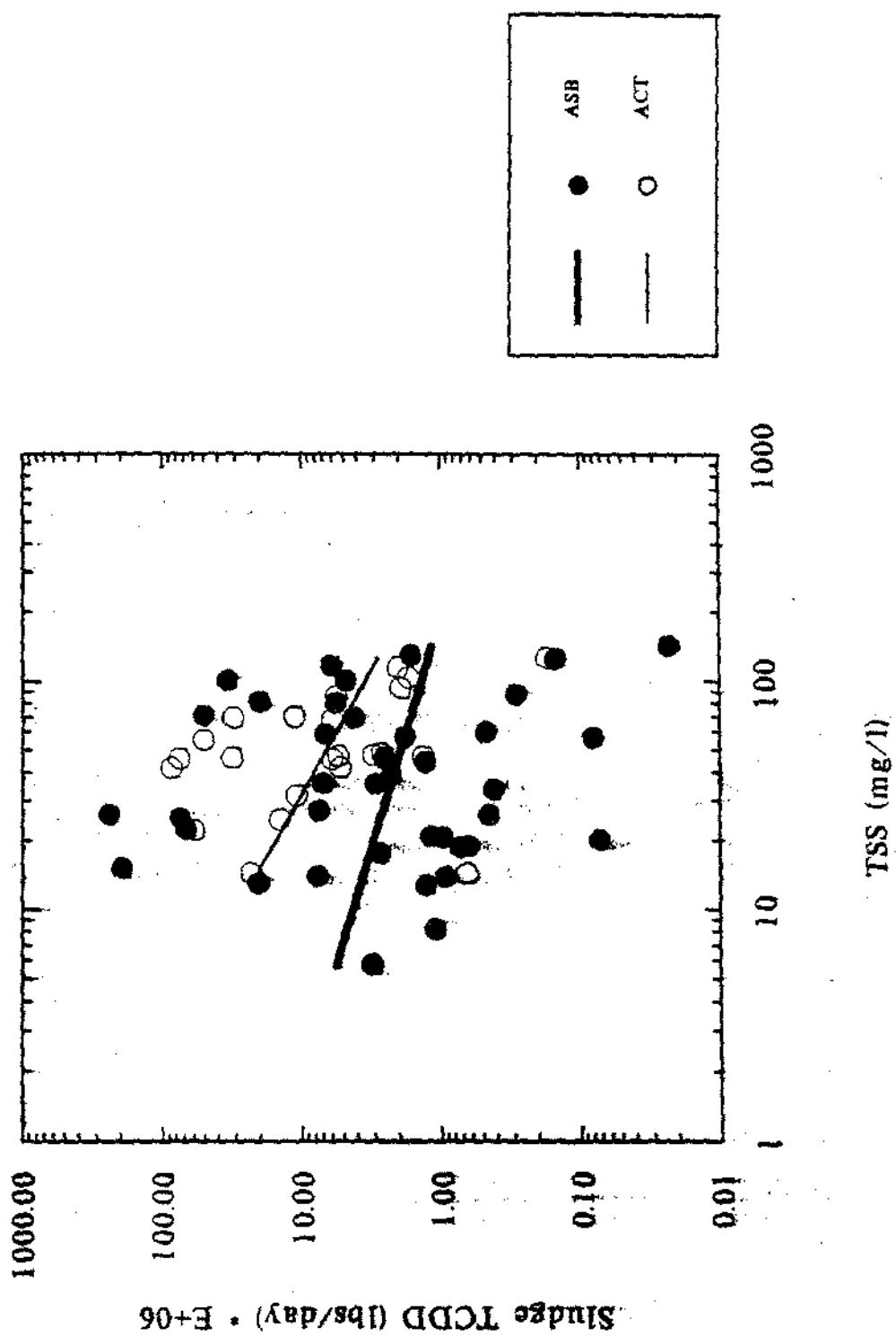


FIGURE 6-8

EFFLUENT TCDF OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
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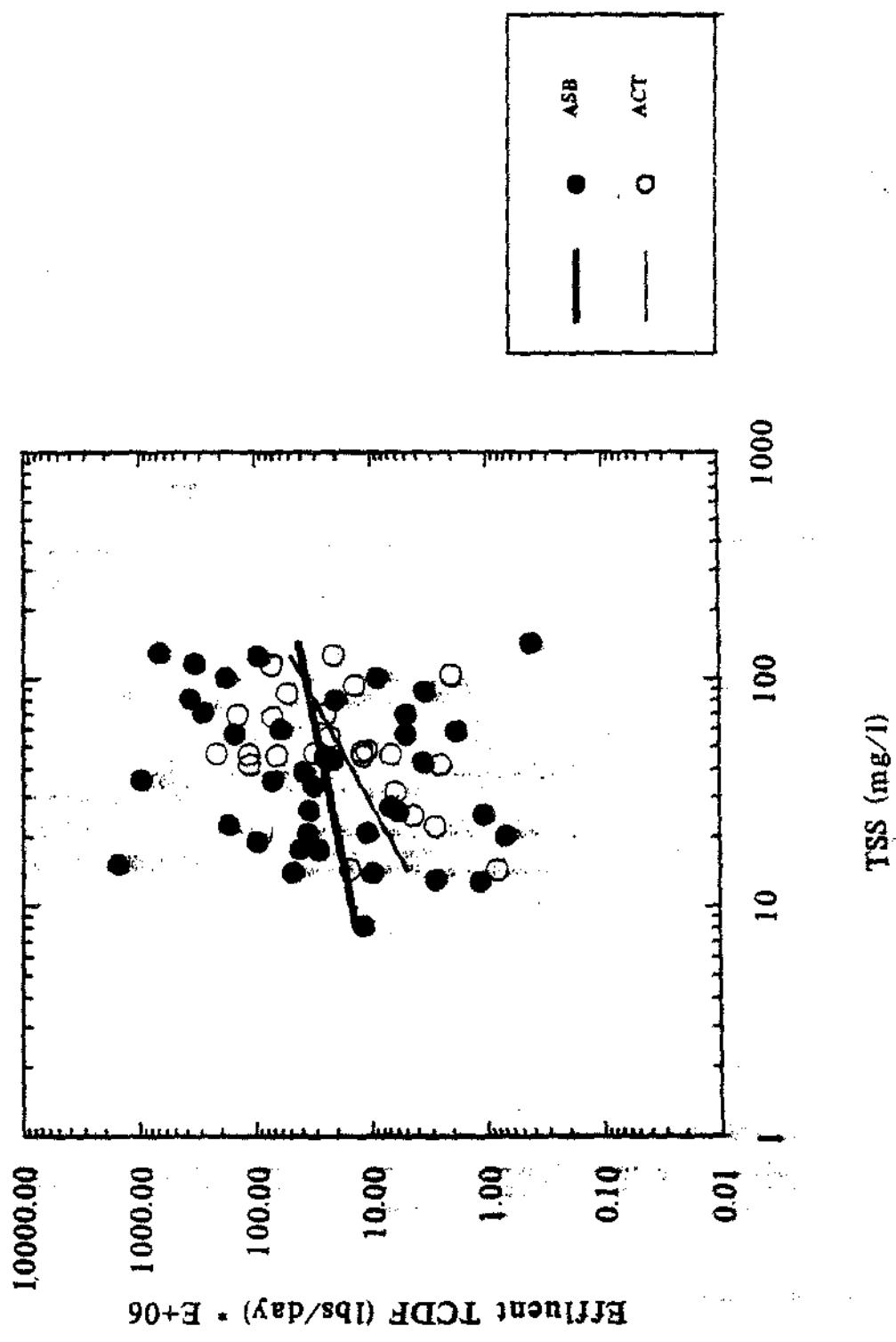


FIGURE 6-9

SLUDGE TCDF OUTPUT BY TREATMENT
TREATED KRAFT MILLS ONLY

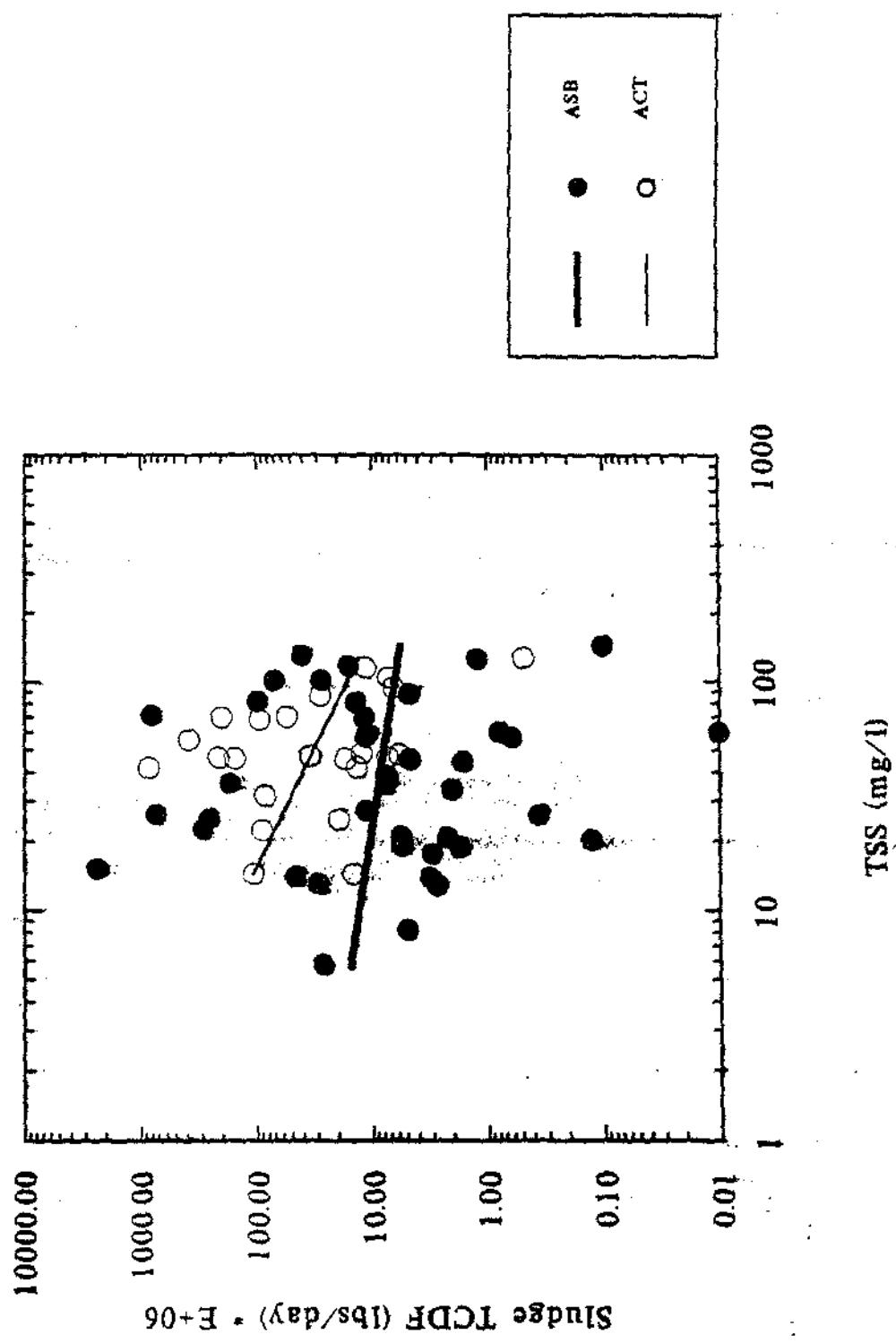


TABLE 6-4. TCDD EXPORTS FOR ACT TREATMENT
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

TSS (mg/l) vs Sludge TCDD (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Sludge TCDD}) = 2.388 - 0.922 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .113

Adjusted R² = .073

S.E. of Regression = 0.661

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.939	2.542	0.019
Independent	0.551	-1.675	0.108

TSS (mg/l) vs Effluent TCDD (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Effluent TCDD}) = -0.969 + 0.925 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .140

Adjusted R² = .101

S.E. of Regression = 0.587

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.834	-1.162	0.258
Independent	0.489	1.892	0.072

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Sludge TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Sludge TCDD}) = 1.605 - 0.966 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .165

Adjusted R² = .127

S.E. of Regression = 0.556

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.790	2.031	0.054
Independent	0.463	-2.085	0.049

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Effluent TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Effluent TCDD}) = -1.752 + 0.882 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .201

Adjusted R² = .164

S.E. of Regression = 0.451

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.640	-2.736	0.012
Independent	0.375	2.350	0.028

TABLE 6-5. TCDF EXPORTS FOR ACT TREATMENT
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

TSS (mg/l) vs Sludge TCDF (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Sludge TCDF}) = 3.159 - 0.974 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .116

Adjusted R² = .076

S.E. of Regression = 0.689

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.978	3.230	0.004
Independent	0.573	-1.699	0.103

TSS (mg/l) vs Effluent TCDF (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Effluent TCDF}) = -0.531 + 1.061 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .170

Adjusted R² = .132

S.E. of Regression = 0.601

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.853	-0.623	0.540
Independent	0.500	2.121	0.045

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Sludge TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Sludge TCDF}) = 2.377 - 1.017 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .147

Adjusted R² = .108

S.E. of Regression = 0.628

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.893	2.663	0.014
Independent	0.523	-1.945	0.065

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Effluent TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Effluent TCDF}) = -1.314 + 1.017 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .184

Adjusted R² = .146

S.E. of Regression = 0.550

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.781	-1.683	0.107
Independent	0.458	2.224	0.037

TABLE 6-6. TCDD EXPORTS FOR ASB TREATMENT
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

TSS (mg/l) vs Sludge TCDD (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Sludge TCDD}) = 1.128 - 0.495 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .029

Adjusted R² = .004

S.E. of Regression = 1.023

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.738	1.527	0.135
Independent	0.462	-1.073	0.290

TSS (mg/l) vs Effluent TCDD (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Effluent TCDD}) = 0.582 + 0.164 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .006

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 0.723

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.557	1.045	0.303
Independent	0.348	0.472	0.639

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Sludge TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Sludge TCDD}) = 0.056 - 0.481 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .026

Adjusted R² = .001

S.E. of Regression = 1.053

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.760	0.074	0.941
Independent	0.475	-1.012	0.318

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Effluent TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Effluent TCDD}) = -0.447 + 0.169 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .008

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 0.654

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.504	-0.886	0.381
Independent	0.315	0.538	0.594

TABLE 6-7. TCDF EXPORTS FOR ASB TREATMENT
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

TSS (mg/l) vs Sludge TCDF (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Sludge TCDF}) = 1.425 - 0.312 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .010

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 1.106

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.798	1.785	0.082
Independent	0.499	-0.625	0.536

TSS (mg/l) vs Effluent TCDF (lbs/day)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Effluent TCDF}) = -0.778 + 0.393 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .022

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 0.879

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.677	1.148	0.258
Independent	0.423	0.929	0.359

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Sludge TCDF (lbs/ton ADNSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Sludge TCDF}) = 0.353 - 0.298 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .008

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 1.162

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.839	0.421	0.676
Independent	0.525	-0.567	0.574

TSS (mg/l) vs Adjusted Effluent TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: $\text{Log}_{10}(\text{Adjusted Effluent TCDF}) = -0.251 + 0.398 * \text{Log}_{10}(\text{TSS})$

R² = .024

Adjusted R² = .000

S.E. of Regression = 0.857

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.661	-0.380	0.706
Independent	0.412	0.965	0.341

7. MODELING TCDD/TCDF FORMATION AS A FUNCTION OF MILL OPERATING PARAMETERS

Several steps were taken to investigate the effect of mill bleaching procedures upon 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin (TCDD) and 2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzofuran (TCDF) formation. The goal of this section was to determine the strength of relationships between mass export rates of TCDD/TCDF and key chemical bleaching and extraction agents used at U.S. bleached pulp mills. Three dependent measures were used, including the total mass export rates of TCDD and TCDF generated by the combined vectors of pulp, sludge, and effluent (in lbs/ton Air-Dried Brownstock Pulp [ADBSP]); and the TCDD toxic equivalent export rate, which combines the TCDD total mass rate with one-tenth of the TCDF total mass rate.

Though the mass formation rates of TCDD/TCDF varied from bleach line to bleach line, as gauged by pulp sample analyses, effluents and sludges were not sampled at each line but rather at the "downstream" treatment facilities. Consequently, the chemical bleaching application rates for each bleach line were combined to form a mill average, the rates being weighted over different lines depending on the volume of pulp produced. As in the previous section, kraft and sulfite mills were treated separately in the analyses. Since the number of sulfite mills with usable data was quite small, only the analyses of kraft mills were included in this section.

The independent variables for which there were enough data to be of utility included the following: chemicals added during C-stage bleaching -- Chlorine (Cl_2), Chlorine Dioxide (ClO_2), Cl_2 Equivalent in C-Stage, and Percentage ClO_2 Substitution for Cl_2 ; chemicals added during other stages of bleaching or caustic removal -- Other stage ClO_2 , Sodium Hypochlorite, Sodium Hydroxide, and Oxygen (O_2); and characterizing features of bleach line operation -- Kappa number, Final brightness, Cl_2 Line Equivalent, Cl_2 Multiple (Kappa Factor) in C-stage, Cl_2 Equivalent Multiple in C-stage, and Cl_2 Line Equivalent Multiple. Other variables had for the most part zero values and were not included in these

analyses. They included Calcium Hypochlorite, Hydrogen Peroxide, Other Stage Cl₂, and other chemical agents which did not contain chlorine derivatives.

As was done in the analysis of total suspended solids, exploratory plots and regression analyses were performed only after the variables of interest were examined for distributional properties and skewness. If warranted, variables were transformed so that their distributions approximated normality as much as possible. (All figures and tables are located at the end of the text.)

Two of the independent variables -- O₂ and ClO₂ -- contained significant fractions of zero values (almost half of all kraft mills in the case of O₂). The analyses assumed an inherent difference between mills which, for instance, did not use any ClO₂ in bleaching and those mills which did. Two different distributions of the TCDD/TCDF mass export rates are presented for each of these variables, one for all cases of zero values in O₂ and ClO₂ and the other for cases where the two variables were positive (Tables 7-1 and 7-2).

7.1 REGRESSION ANALYSES

After analyzing and transforming variables where necessary, plots were made of each dependent measure versus each independent variable and then analyzed for trends. Figures 7-1 to 7-9 are representative of the most significant results. Each plot contains two important interpretive features: a least squares linear regression overlay, drawn over the actual range of data, and a 90 percent confidence band about the estimated regression line. The confidence band provides a visual indication of the degree to which, at any given point x_0 along the independent axis, the estimated mean of the dependent variate might be in error.

Mills in which the calculation of either TCDD or TCDF mass export rates was problematic (such as in cases of seasonal or no waste treatment) were not used in the scatterplots or regression analyses and were considered unreliable data for purposes of the report. Two mills discharged untreated effluents to the ocean, and another five mills had average wastewater retention spans of

several months. At six mills, the reported concentration or flow data was incomplete, so TCDD/TCDF mass formation rates could not be calculated.

Corresponding to the above plots, equations of the regression lines and relevant summary statistics (including standard errors and R^2 values) are given in Tables 7-3 to 7-5. Since the regressions were performed on the transformed variables and not in the original units, the estimated relationships are not linear in the original variables. On the log-log scale, for example, a non-zero linear slope implies that the dependent variable tends to be proportional to a power of the independent variate.

The most immediate finding from the analysis is that each of the dependent variables exhibited significant variation at essentially every level of the various chemical application rates. Consequently, the proportion of variance explained by any of the regression equations was generally low (as given by R^2), indicating that the linear regressions were not very useful as predictive equations. In fact, specific predictions regarding output of TCDD/TCDF at mill Y when a certain level of chemical X was applied would probably have little meaning. The scatterplots were useful, however, to detect the presence or absence of non-zero trends in the estimated regression lines.

7.1.1 Effects of Chlorine Bleaching

Variables measuring the application of chlorine to brownstock pulps (Cl_2 , Cl_2 Equivalent in C-Stage, Cl_2 Lint Equivalent) were positively associated with the formation of TCDD/TCDF (Table 7-3). Hence, greater use of chlorine in bleaching was associated with higher formation rates of TCDD/TCDF. This result was consistent with previous evidence concerning the effect of chlorine bleaching on TCDD/TCDF formation in pulp mills (2); however, none of the estimated regression models involving these variables accounted for more than about 30 percent of the total variance in TCDD/TCDF mass export rates.

7.1.2 Effect of the Chlorine Multiple

Since more chlorine tends to be applied when the lignin content of the pulp is high, regressions were also estimated for variables involving ratios between the amount of chlorine applied and the Kappa number (as measured by the ratios Cl₂ Multiple, Cl₂ Equivalent Multiple, and Cl₂ Line Equivalent Multiple), the Kappa number being a useful index of lignin content in brownstock pulps. Table 7-4 provides the results for regressions on the Cl₂ Multiple, and again documents a generally significant positive relationship between formation of TCDD/TCDF in mass exports and the Cl₂ Multiple. Such a result implies that, on the average, even when lignin content was accounted for or "held constant," greater application of chlorine was mildly associated with higher formation of TCDD/TCDF. In this case, the association must be considered mild because the percentage of total variation accounted for by the estimated regression models never exceeded 18 percent.

7.1.3 Chlorine Dioxide Substitution

The substitution of ClO₂ for Cl₂ in the C-Stage of bleaching produced slight reductions in average TCDD/TCDF formation (Table 7-5), the regression trends being statistically significant at below the 2 percent level. However, the regression models accounted for at most 16 percent of the total variation in TCDD/TCDF mass exports; and since very few mills substituted ClO₂ for more than 30 percent of their chlorine usage, the regression trends cannot be reliably extrapolated to predict reductions of TCDD/TCDF formation at higher ClO₂ substitution rates. It was also seen in Table 7-1 that mills that did not use any ClO₂ exhibited tremendous variation in TCDD/TCDF mass exports. Hence, substitution of ClO₂ for Cl₂ was not by itself an adequate predictor of TCDD/TCDF reduction. Use of ClO₂ may help, however, to reduce TCDD/TCDF formation when considered in conjunction with other reduction strategies.

7.1.4 Use of Oxygen in Bleaching

Mills that use oxygen in the bleaching process exhibited a slight but statistically significant trend toward reduction of TCDD/TCDF with increased

oxygen application. However, this trend was wholly attributable to those four kraft mills that used oxygen delignification methods at the time of the 104 Mill Study (Table 7-2). Furthermore, the same four mills also tended to have higher substitution rates of ClO₂ for Cl₂, so it cannot be determined whether the lower export rates of TCDD/TCDF observed at these mills were attributable to oxygen delignification, chlorine dioxide substitution, or some combination of both. Use of oxygen in other applications was not statistically correlated with TCDD/TCDF mass formation.

7.1.5 Differences in Wood Types

Due to limitations of the study design, softwood and hardwood bleach lines could not be systematically analyzed for differences in TCDD/TCDF mass formation. However, it was observed that greater amounts of chlorine were generally applied to softwood pulps than hardwood pulps per ton of pulp processed, and that the average Kappa numbers of softwood pulps were typically much higher than the Kappa numbers of hardwood pulps (Figures 7-10 and 7-11). Both of these observations were consistent with known differences in the bleaching practices of softwood versus hardwood pulps.

7.2 SUMMARY

To summarize, the most consistently significant independent variables were those involving chlorine application in the C-stage of bleaching: Cl₂ and Cl₂ Equivalent. Variables measuring the chlorine multiple (also known as the Kappa factor) were also positively associated with TCDD/TCDF formation, though the correlations were weaker. Substitution of chlorine dioxide for Cl₂ was associated with slight reductions in TCDD/TCDF formation. However, since very few mills reported ClO₂ substitution rates of more than 30 percent at the time of the study, the effect of higher chlorine dioxide substitution rates could not be gauged with any precision.

Barring more detailed information on chemical usage patterns and mill process characteristics, the data at hand preclude the fitting of very precise predictive models. While other variables might significantly impact the

formation of 2378-TCDD/TCDF, in the 104 Mill Study only those measuring chlorine application rates were consistently linked to TCDD/TCDF formation at pulp mills.

TABLE 7-1. SUMMARY STATISTICS: BREAKDOWN BY ClO₂ USAGE

KRAFT MILLS ONLY

<u>ClO₂ = 0</u>	Adjusted Total TCDD	Adjusted Total TCDF	Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent
N	27	27	27
Minimum	0.186	0.748	0.260
Maximum	16.337	299.613	43.026
Mean	4.110	27.940	6.904
Standard Dev.	4.260	61.417	9.433
Median	2.433	8.228	3.256

<u>ClO₂ > 0</u>	Adjusted Total TCDD	Adjusted Total TCDF	Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent
N	52	52	52
Minimum	0.066	0.147	0.081
Maximum	30.556	953.875	118.722
Mean	5.331	59.818	11.313
Standard Dev.	6.152	149.441	19.996
Median	3.437	16.088	4.963

Adjusted Total - lbs/ton ADBSP * 10⁶

Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent - lbs/ton ADBSP * 10⁶

TABLE 7-2. SUMMARY STATISTICS: BREAKDOWN BY O₂ USAGE

KRAFT MILLS ONLY

<u>O₂ = 0</u>	Adjusted Total TCDD	Adjusted Total TCDF	Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent
N	34	34	34
Minimum	0.117	0.363	0.153
Maximum	13.065	299.613	43.026
Mean	3.764	27.054	6.469
Standard Dev.	3.603	55.415	8.492
Median	2.068	7.946	2.807

<u>O₂ > 0</u>	Adjusted Total TCDD	Adjusted Total TCDF	Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent
Extraction	43	43	43
N	43	43	43
Minimum	0.124	0.450	0.283
Maximum	30.556	953.875	118.722
Mean	6.028	68.447	12.872
Standard Dev.	6.659	163.044	21.668
Median	3.589	15.778	5.153

<u>O₂ > 0</u>	Adjusted Total TCDD	Adjusted Total TCDF	Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent
Delignification	2	2	2
N	2	2	2
Minimum	0.066	0.147	0.081
Maximum	0.960	1.747	1.135
Mean	0.513	0.947	0.608
Standard Dev.	0.632	1.131	0.745
Median	0.513	0.947	0.608

Adjusted Total - lbs/ton ADBSP * 10⁶

Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent - lbs/ton ADBSP * 10⁶

FIGURE 7-1

Cl2 vs. ADJUSTED TOTAL TCDD
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

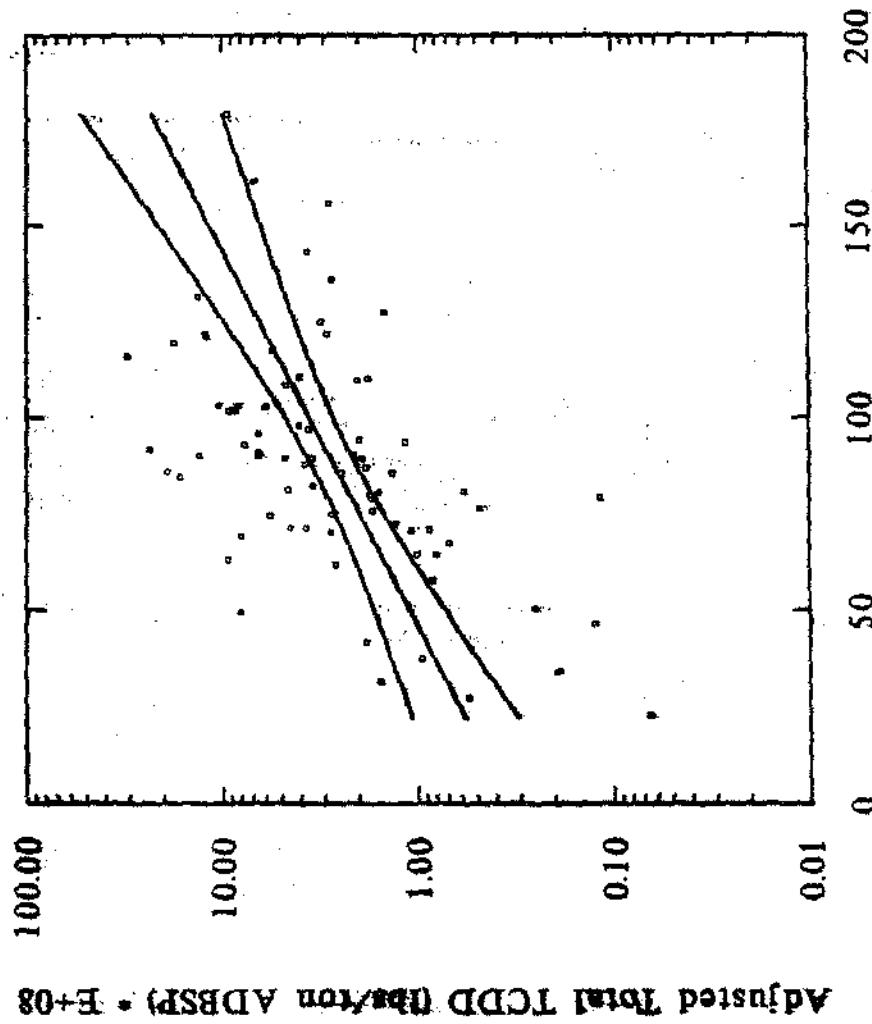
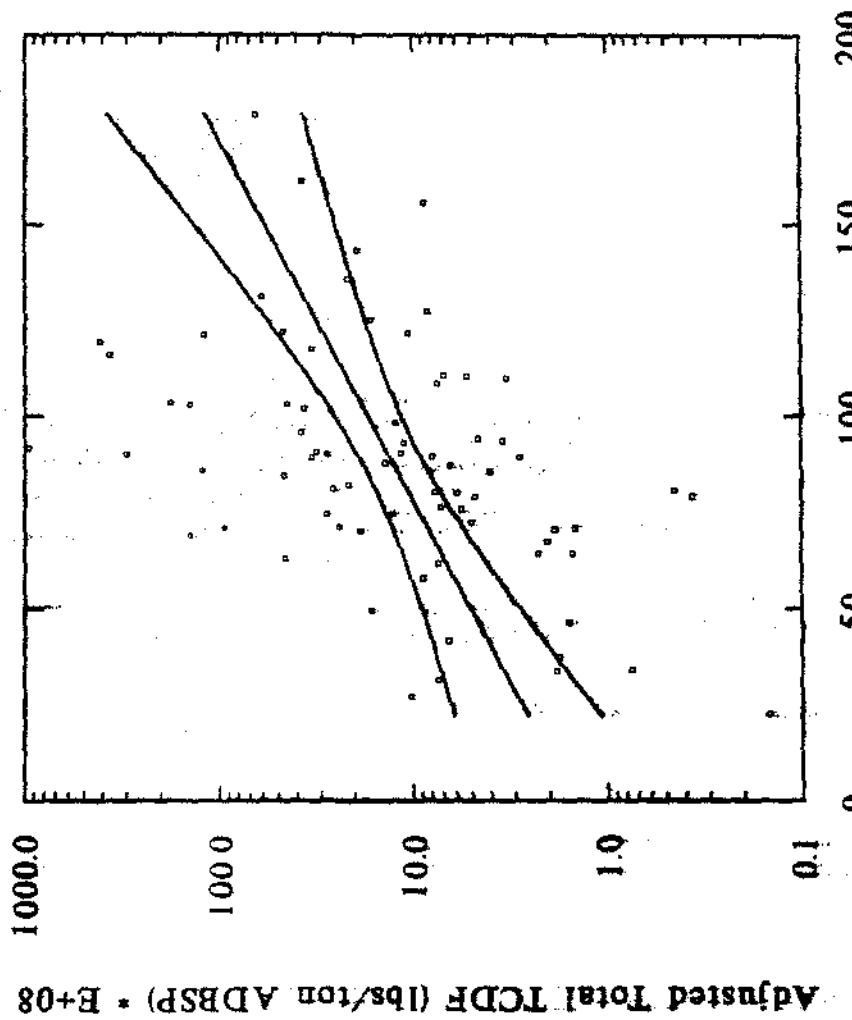


FIGURE 7-2

C12 vs. ADJUSTED TOTAL TCDF
KRAFT MILLS ONLY



C12 (lbers/ton ADBSP)

FIGURE 7-3

C12 vs. ADJUSTED TCDD TOXIC EQUIVALENT
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

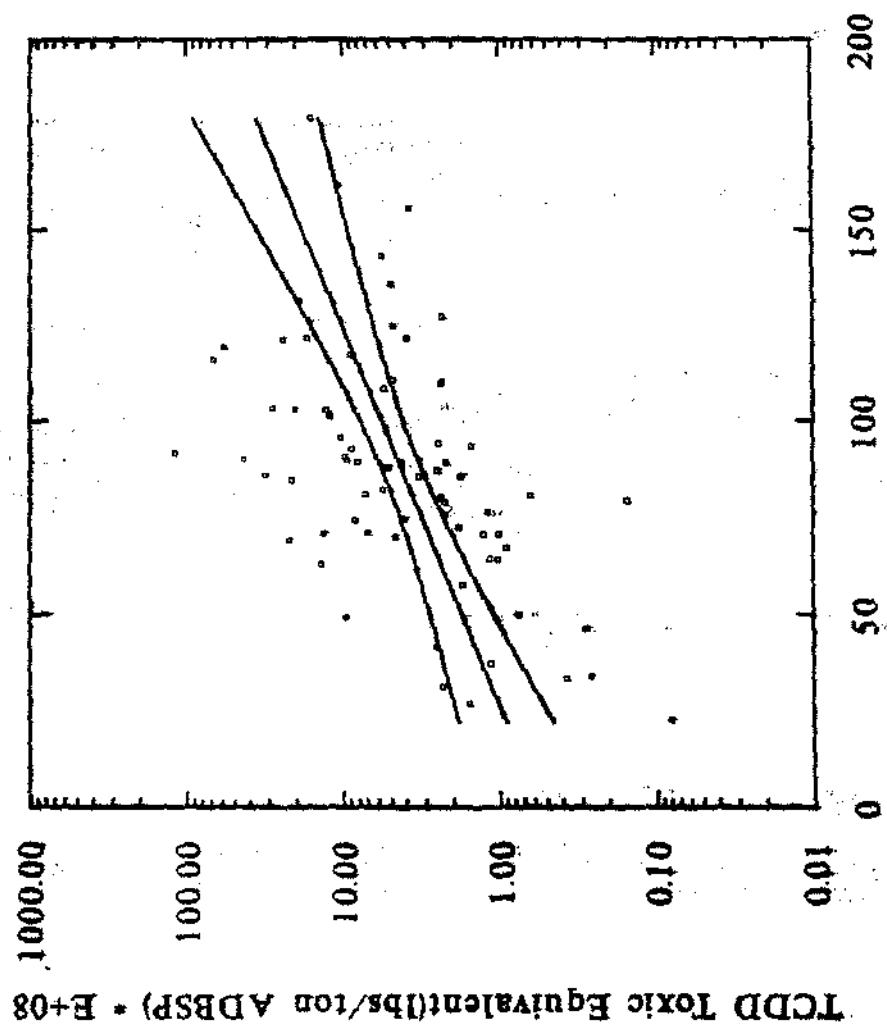


FIGURE 7-4

C12 MULTIPLE vs. ADJUSTED TOTAL TCDD
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

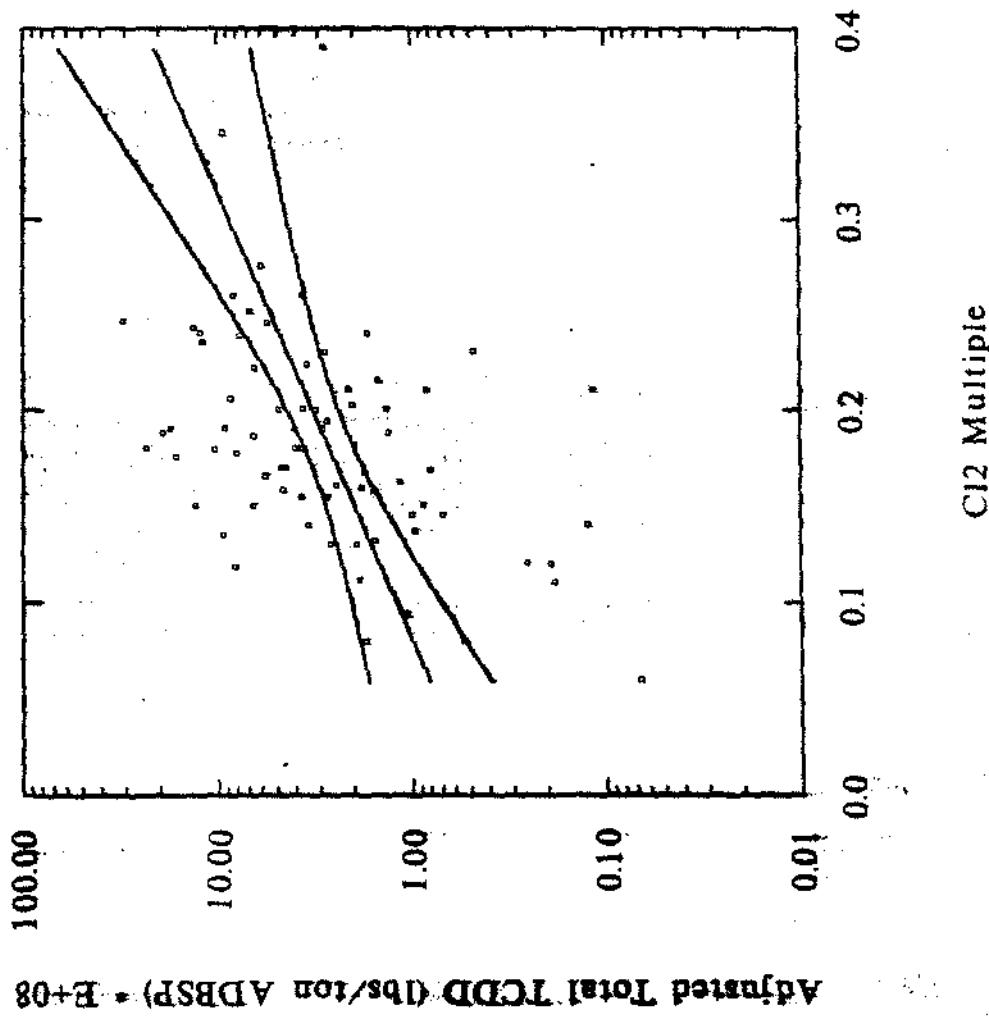


FIGURE 7-5

C12 MULTIPLE vs. ADJUSTED TOTAL TCDF
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

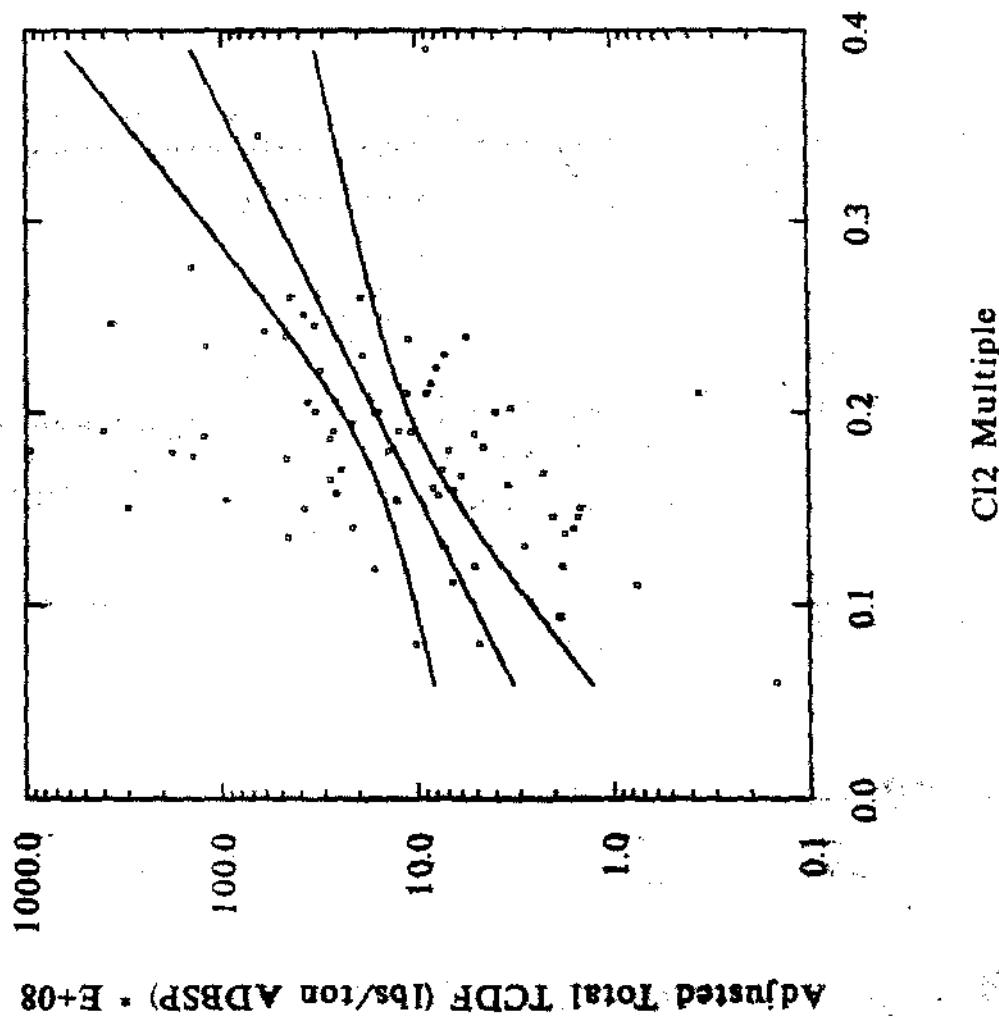


FIGURE 7-6

C12 MULTIPLE vs. ADJUSTED TCDD TOXIC EQUIVALENT
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

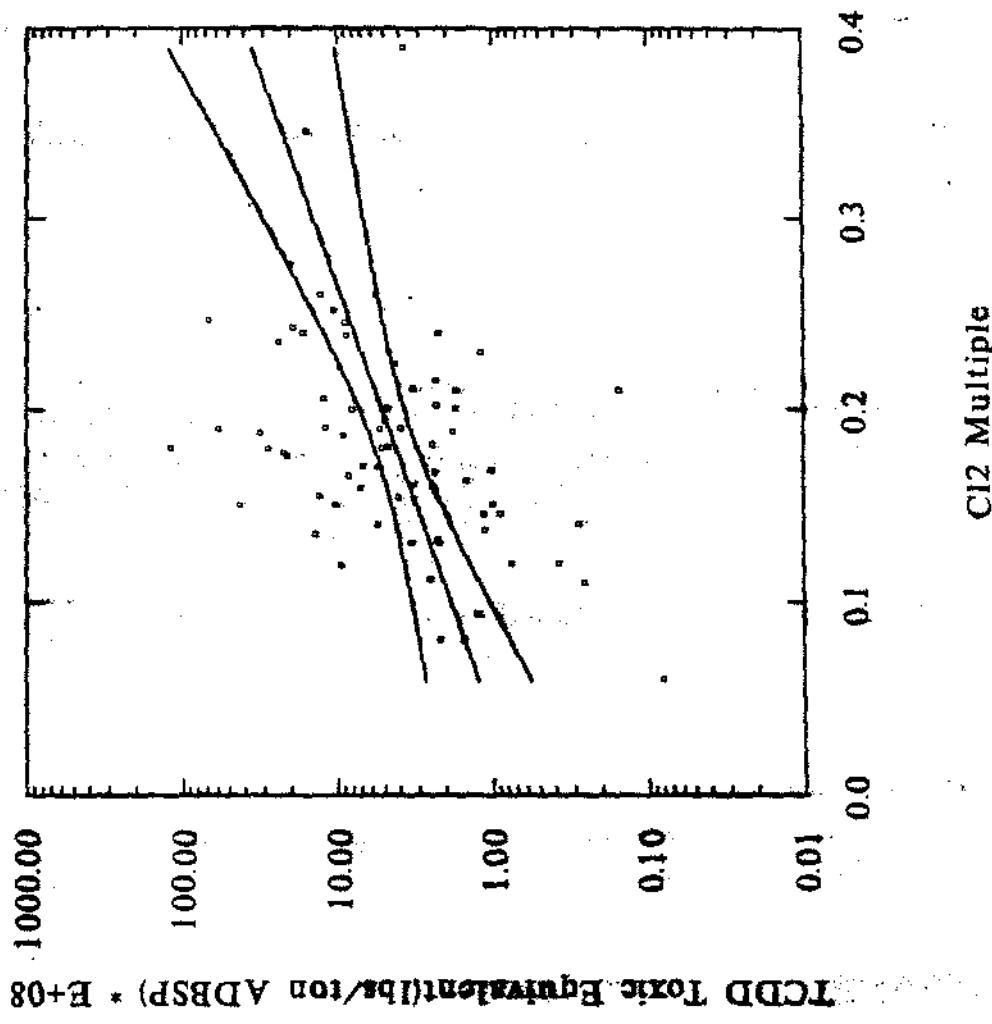


FIGURE 7-7

% ClO₂ SUBSTITUTION vs. ADJUSTED TOTAL TCDD
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

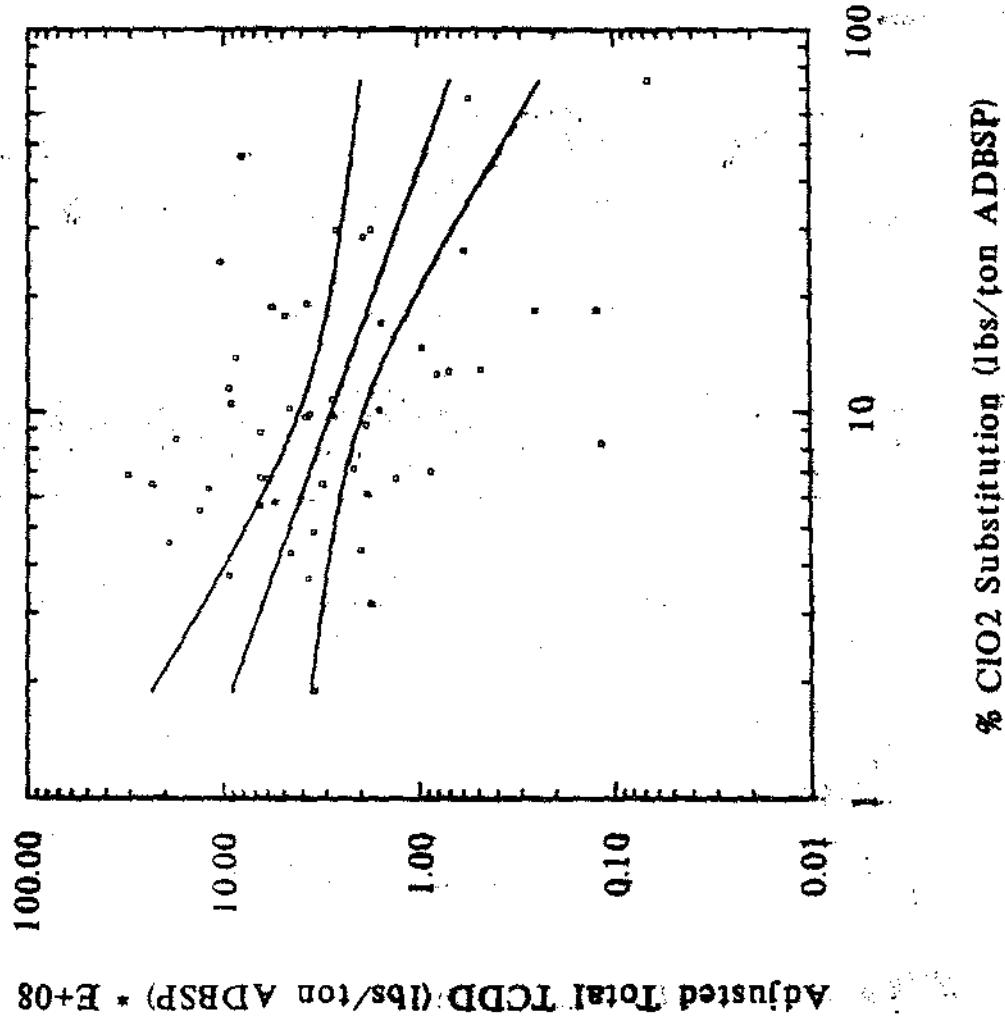
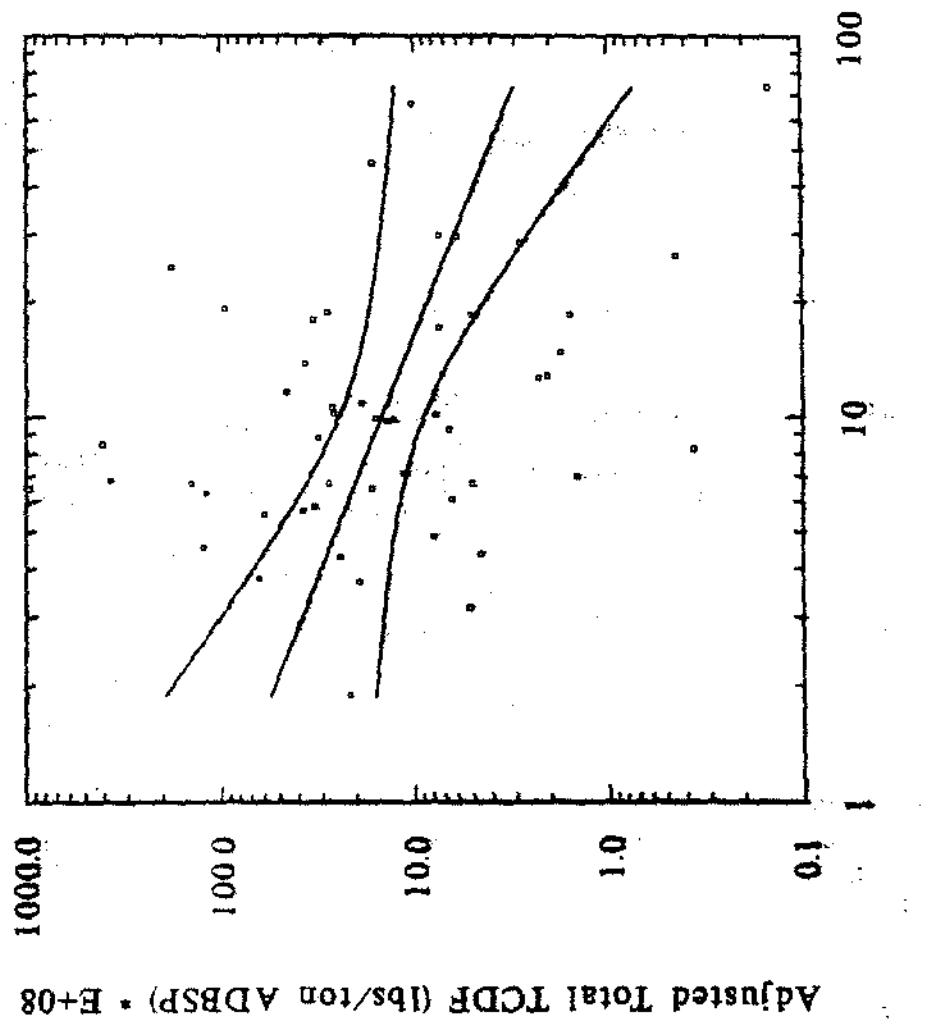


FIGURE 7-8

% ClO₂ SUBSTITUTION VS. ADJUSTED TOTAL TCDF
KRAFT MILLS ONLY



% ClO₂ Substitution (lbs/ton ADBSF)

FIGURE 7-9

CLO₂ SUBSTITUTION vs. TCDD TOXIC EQUIVALENT
KRAFT MILLS ONLY

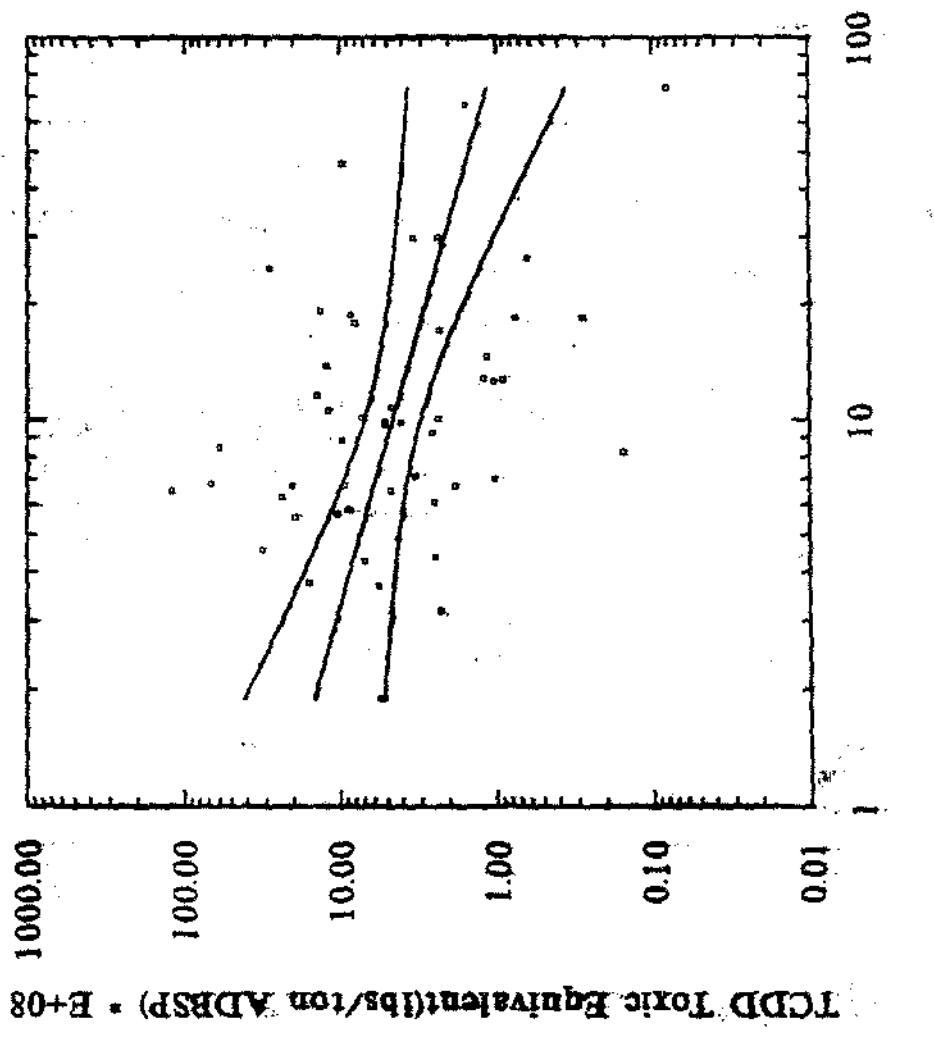


TABLE 7-3. REGRESSIONS OF CHLORINE USAGE (KRAFT MILLS ONLY)

Cl₂ vs. Adjusted Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSF)*10⁴

Equation: Log₁₀(Total TCDD) = -0.462 + 0.010 * Cl₂

R² = .317

Adjusted R² = .308

S.E. of Regression = 0.461

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.160	-2.890	0.005
Independent	0.002	5.902	0.000

Cl₂ vs. Adjusted Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSF)*10⁴

Equation: Log₁₀(Total TCDF) = 0.179 + 0.011 * Cl₂

R² = .206

Adjusted R² = .195

S.E. of Regression = 0.641

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.223	0.804	0.424
Independent	0.002	4.405	0.000

Cl₂ vs. Adjusted TCDD Toxic Equivalent (lbs/ton ADBSF)*10⁴

Equation: Log₁₀(TCDD Toxic Equivalent) = -0.262 + 0.010 * Cl₂

R² = .271

Adjusted R² = .261

S.E. of Regression = 0.514

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.178	-1.466	0.147
Independent	0.002	5.275	0.000

TABLE 7-4. REGRESSIONS OF CHLORINE MULTIPLE (KRAFT MILLS ONLY)

Cl₂ Multiple vs. Adjusted Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: Log₁₀(Total TCDD) = -0.343 + 4.280 * Cl₂ Multiple

R² = .181

Adjusted R² = .170

S.E. of Regression = 0.506

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.203	-1.685	0.096
Independent	1.064	4.023	0.000

Cl₂ Multiple vs. Adjusted Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: Log₁₀(Total TCDF) = 0.221 + 4.968 * Cl₂ Multiple

R² = .153

Adjusted R² = .141

S.E. of Regression = 0.651

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.262	0.843	0.402
Independent	1.369	3.629	0.001

Cl₂ Multiple vs. TCDD Toxic Equivalent (lbs/ton ADBSP)*10⁶

Equation: Log₁₀(TCDD-Tox., Eq.) = -0.166 + 4.413 * Cl₂ Multiple

R² = .167

Adjusted R² = .156

S.E. of Regression = 0.549

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.220	-0.752	0.455
Independent	1.154	3.825	0.000

TABLE 7-5. REGRESSIONS OF ClO₂ SUBSTITUTION (KRAFT MILLS ONLY)

ClO₂ Substitution vs. Adjusted Total TCDD (lbs/ton ADDBSP)*10⁶

Equation: Log₁₀(Total TCDD) = 1.157 - 0.708 * Log₁₀(% ClO₂ Sub.)

R² = .160

Adjusted R² = .143

S.E. of Regression = 0.538

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.244	4.732	0.000
Independent	0.230	-3.081	0.003

ClO₂ Substitution vs. Adjusted Total TCDF (lbs/ton ADDBSP)*10⁶

Equation: Log₁₀(Total TCDF) = 1.961 - 0.792 * Log₁₀(% ClO₂ Sub.)

R² = .117

Adjusted R² = .100

S.E. of Regression = 0.718.

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.326	6.009	0.000
Independent	0.307	-2.579	0.013

ClO₂ Substitution vs. TCDD Toxic Equivalent (lbs/ton ADDBSP)*10⁶

Equation: Log₁₀(TCDD Tox. Eq.) = 1.362 - 0.700 * Log₁₀(% ClO₂ Sub.)

R² = .133

Adjusted R² = .115

S.E. of Regression = 0.593

	<u>Standard Error</u>	<u>t Statistic</u>	<u>p-Value</u>
Constant	0.269	5.057	0.000
Independent	0.253	-2.764	0.008

FIGURE 7-10

Cl2 vs. ADJUSTED PULP TCDD

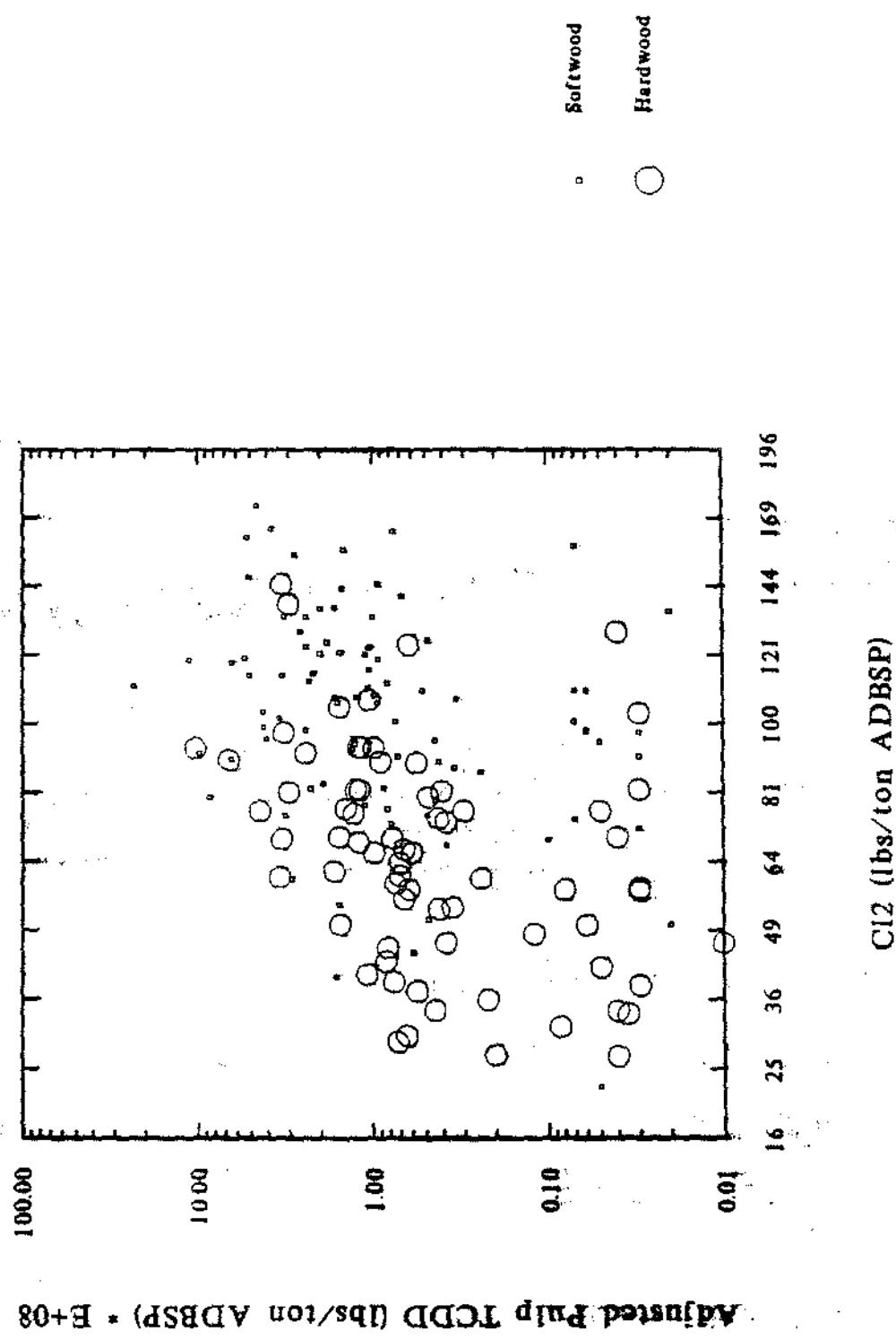
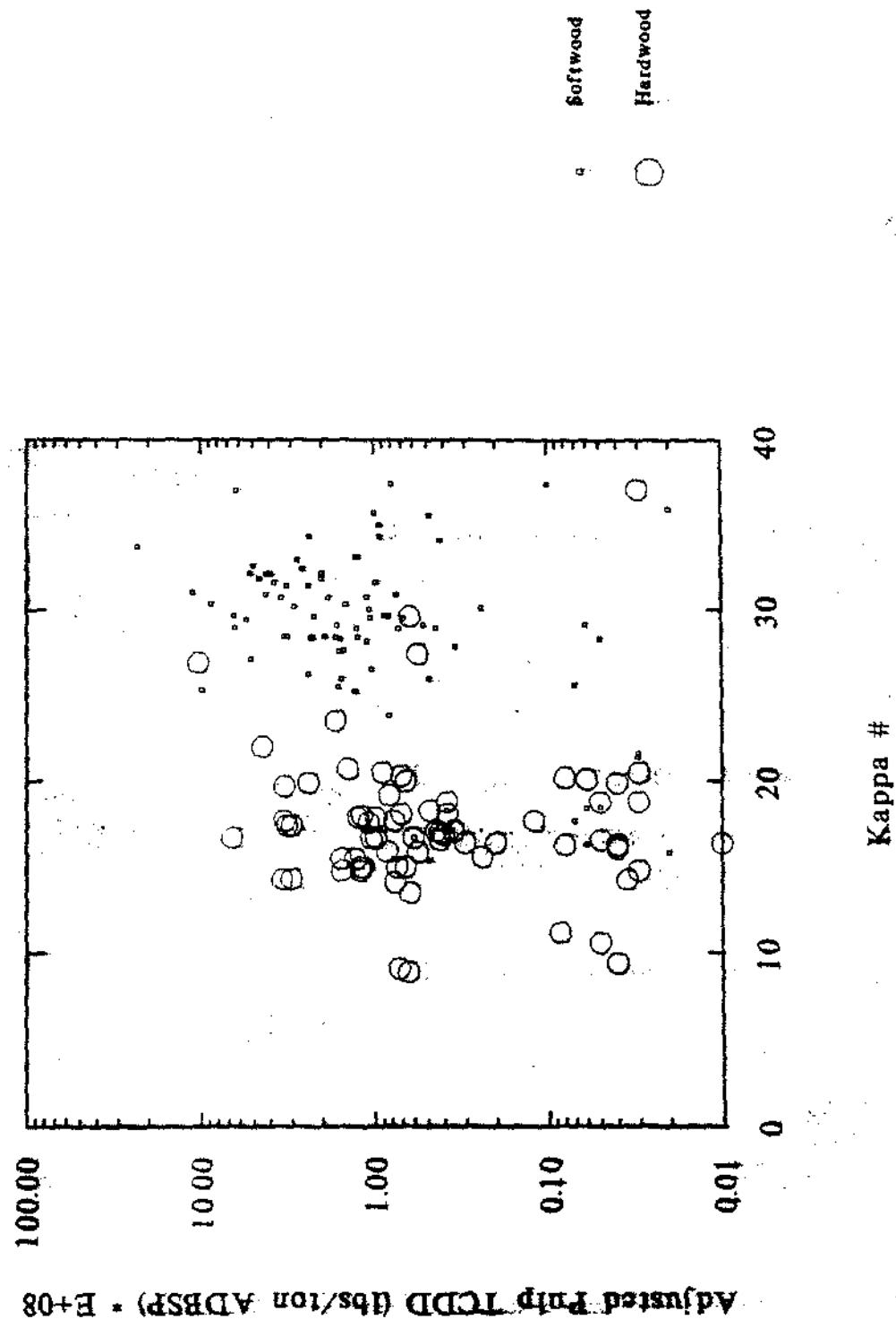


FIGURE 7-11

KAPPA # VS. ADJUSTED PULP TCDD



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Company	
City	
State	
Sample ID - Sample Identification Number	
Sample Date - Date sample was procured	
TCDD - Concentration of 2,3,7,8-TCDD	
TCDF Date - Lab analysis date for TCDD	
TCDF - Concentration of 2,3,7,8-TCDF	
Lab - Laboratory that performed the analysis	

A-1. 104 MILL DATA LISTING

Company	City	State	Pulping Process	Treatment	ISS (mg/l)
Gaylord Container Corp.	Antioch	CA	Kraft	ACT	68.00
Willamette Industries	Hawesville	KY	Kraft	ASB	143.80
Alaska Pulp Co.	Sitka	AK	Sulfite	ACT	75.00
Badger Paper Mills, Inc.	Festhigo	WI	Sulfite	ACT	125.15
Kimberly-Clark Corp.	Cocoa Pines	AL	Kraft	ASB	18.80
Lincoln Pulp and Paper	Lincoln	ME	Kraft	ACT	48.40
Weusau Paper Mills Co.	Brokaw	WI	Sulfite	ACT	39.20
Gilman Paper Co.	St. Marys	GA	Kraft	ASB	69.50
Gulf States Paper Corp.	Demopolis	AL	Kraft	ASB	80.80
Hammermill Paper Co.	Erie	PA	Kraft	POTW	203.10
Hammermill Paper Co.	Salina	AL	Kraft	ASB	60.00
International Paper Co.	Bastrop	LA	Kraft	ASB	81.50
International Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	Kraft	ASB	117.00
International Paper Co.	Jay	ME	Kraft	ACT	
International Paper Co.	Mobile	AL	Kraft	ASB	101.00
International Paper Co.	Moss Point	MS	Kraft	ASB	57.20
International Paper Co.	Matches	MS	Kraft	ACT	115.00
International Paper Co.	Fine Bluff	AR	Kraft	ASB	71.00
International Paper Co.	Texarkana	TX	Kraft	ASB	5.80
International Paper Co.	Ticonderoga	NY	Kraft	ACT	53.50
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Fernandina Beach	FL	Sulfite	ASB	200.48
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Hoquiam	WA	Sulfite	ACT	75.80
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Jeaner	GA	Kraft	ASB	26.07
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Port Angeles	WA	Sulfite	ACT	273.00
James River Corp.	Berlin	NH	Kraft	ACT	47.00
James River Corp.	Camas	WA	K/S	ASB	78.60
James River Corp.	Clatskanie	OR	Kraft	ACT	
James River Corp.	Green Bay	WI	Sulfite	POTW	177.15
James River Corp.	Old Town	ME	Kraft	ACT	127.00
James River Corp.	St. Francisville	LA	Kraft	ASB	35.60
James River Corp.	Butler	AL	Kraft	ASB	17.60
Leaf River Forest Products	New Augusta	MS	Kraft	ACT	46.00
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	WA	Kraft	ACT	47.20
Ketchikan Pulp & Paper Co.	Ketchikan	AK	Sulfite	ACT	243.60
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	Samoa	CA	Kraft	POTW	96.70
Mead Corporation	Chillicothe	OH	Kraft	ACT/ASB	
Mead Corporation	Escanaba	MI	Kraft	ACT	14.40
Mead Corporation	Kingsport	TN	Soda	ASB	88.00
Nekoosa Papers, Inc.	Ashdown	AR	Kraft	ASB	20.80
Nekoosa Papers, Inc.	Nekoosa	WI	Kraft	ACT	36.00
Nekoosa Papers, Inc.	Port Edwards	WI	Sulfite	ACT	
Pantex Papers, Inc.	Johnsonburg	PA	Kraft	ASB	42.85
Pope & Talbot, Inc.	Galaxy	OR	Kraft	ASB	13.90
Potlatch Corp.	Cloquet	MI	Kraft	POTW	129.00
Potlatch Corp.	Lewiston	ID	Kraft	ASB	123.60
Potlatch Corp.	McGhee	AR	Kraft	ASB	21.00
Alabama River Pulp	Claiborne	AL	Kraft	ACT	86.50
Appleton Papers, Inc.	Reeving Springs	PA	Kraft	ACT	14.40
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	AL	Kraft	ASB	19.00
Boise Cascade Corp.	Daridder	LA	Kraft	ASB	58.70
Boise Cascade Corp.	St. Helens	OR	Kraft	POTW	59.00
Boise Cascade Corp.	Rumford	ME	Kraft	ACT	69.60
Boise Cascade Corp.	Wellula	WA	Kraft	ASB	
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	MN	Kraft	ACT	
Bowater Corp.	Catasba	SC	Kraft	ASB	13.00
Bowater Corp.	Calhoun	TN	Kraft	ASB	25.20
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Brunswick	GA	Kraft	ASB	45.60
Buckeye Cellulose	Perry	FL	Kraft	ASB	38.80
Buckeye Cellulose	Oglethorpe	GA	Kraft	ASB	20.30
Champion International	Lufkin	TX	Kraft	ACT	
Champion International	Courtland	AL	Kraft	ASB	22.60
Champion International	Quinnipiac	ME	Kraft	ACT	31.70
Champion International	Centerton	FL	Kraft	ASB	27.20
Champion International	Houston	TX	Kraft	ACT	24.90
Champion International	Canton	NC	Kraft	ACT	22.40
Chesapeake Corp.	West Point	VA	Kraft	ACT	93.80
Container Corp. of America	Brewton	AL	Kraft	ASB	12.80
Pentair, Inc.	Park Falls	WI	Sulfite	ACT	98.30
Federal Paper Board Co.	Augusta	GA	Kraft	ASB	101.20

A-1. 104 MILL DATA LISTING (CONTINUED)

<u>Company</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Pulping Process</u>	<u>Treatment</u>	<u>TSS (mg/l)</u>
Federal Paper Board Co.	Riagewood	NC	Kraft	ASB	44.40
Finch, Pruyn & Co., Inc.	Glens Falls	NY	Sulfite	ACT	26.80
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Bellingham	WA	Sulfite	ASB	
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Crosscut	AR	Kraft	ACT	41.80
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Palatka	FL	Kraft	ASB	8.20
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Woodland	ME	Kraft	ASB	56.80
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Zachary	LA	Kraft	ASB	130.00
P.H. Glatfelter Co.	Spring Grove	PA	Kraft	ACT	42.00
Proctor & Gamble Co.	Mehoopany	PA	Sulfite	ACT	127.60
Scott Paper Co.	Everett	WA	Sulfite	ACT	30.19
Scott Paper Co.	Mobile	AL	Kraft	ACT	47.70
Scott Paper Co.	Hinckley	ME	Kraft	ACT	70.00
Scott Paper Co.	Muskegon	MI	Kraft	POTW	
Scott Paper Co.	Westbrook	ME	Kraft	ACT	104.20
Simpson Paper Co.	Anderson	CA	Kraft	ASB	35.80
Simpson Paper Co.	Fairhaven	CA	Kraft	NONE	137.00
Simpson Paper Co.	Pasadena	TX	Kraft	ACT	880.00
Simpson Paper Co.	Tacoma	WA	Kraft	ACT	46.40
St. Joe Paper Co.	Port St. Joe	FL	Kraft	POTW	
Stone Container Corp.	Missoula	MT	Kraft	ASB	
Stone Container Corp.	Panama City	FL	Kraft	POTW	108.80
Stone Container Corp.	Snowflake	AZ	Kraft	POTW	
Tamiami Lumber Co., Inc.	Dade City	FL	Kraft	ASB	26.20
Union Camp Corp.	Eastover	SC	Kraft	ASB	1.80
Union Camp Corp.	Franklin	VA	Kraft	ASB	60.00
Westvaco Corp.	Covington	VA	Kraft	ACT	46.30
Westvaco Corp.	Lake	MD	Kraft	POTW	56.80
Westvaco Corp.	Wickliffe	KY	Kraft	ASB	33.70
Weyerhaeuser Co.	Comoxalia	WA	Sulfite	ACT/ASB	121.40
Weyerhaeuser Co.	Everett	WA	Kraft	ASB	17.70
Weyerhaeuser Co.	Longview	WA	Kraft	ACT	45.80
Weyerhaeuser Co.	New Bern	NC	Kraft	ASB	14.00
Weyerhaeuser Co.	Plymouth	NC	Kraft	ASB	15.20
Weyerhaeuser Co.	Rothechild	WI	Sulfite	ACT	27.20

A-3. TERO/TERC CONCENTRATION DATA

MATRIX-PURP (ppt)

Company	City	State	Sample ID	ICDD Date	ICDF Date	Lab
Wileslette Industries	Batesville	WV	H63PAC	10/28/88	1/30/89	1.10
Wileslette Industries	Batesville	WV	H63PBC	10/28/88	6/30	12/30/88
Badger Paper Mills, Inc.	Pensiglo	WI	H64PC	07/22/88	6/40	1/30/88
Kimberly-Clark Corp.	Cocca Pines	AL	H65PAC	08/26/88	6/28	12/16/88
Wausau Paper Mills Co.	Brake	WI	H65PAC	07/22/88	6/40	12/02/88
Gilman Paper Co.	St. Marys	GA	H65PAC	09/02/88	6/30	12/09/88
Hammerville Paper Co.	Gris	PA	H65PAC	06/19/88	6/40	12/11/88
Hammerville Paper Co.	Selma	AL	H65PAC	06/26/88	6/10	21/00
International Paper Co.	Beatrop	LA	H65PAC	06/20/88	6/19	12/16/88
International Paper Co.	Beatrop	LA	H65PAC1	06/20/88	6/20	22/00
International Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	H65PBC	07/16/88	6/30	12/16/88
International Paper Co.	Jer	NC	RQ186367	5/70	4/21/87	181/00
International Paper Co.	Jer	NC	RQ186367	46/70	6/19/87	183/00
Mobile	Mobille	AL	H64PBC	10/24/88	6/50	12/30/88
Mobile	Moss Point	MS	H64PBC	06/02/88	15/00	11/11/88
Mobile	Natchez	MS	H67PBC	08/12/88	3/29	06/30/89
Mobile	Wetche	MS	H77P11	08/12/88	3/60	11/03/88
Fine Bluff	Fine Bluff	MS	H61PAC	06/17/88	21/00	11/18/88
Fine Bluff	Fine Bluff	MS	H61PAC	06/17/88	23/00	11/18/88
Texarkana	Texarkana	TX	H59PAC	08/06/88	7/10	12/23/88
Ticonderoga	Ticonderoga	NY	H64PAC	04/24/88	14/00	11/04/88
Ficenderoga	Ficenderoga	NY	H64PAC	06/24/88	17/00	11/04/88
Fernandina Beach	Fernandina Beach	FL	H64PAC	07/07/88	9/29	14/30/88
Berlin	Berlin	NM	H69PAC	08/19/88	1/30	11/04/88
Cesas	NA	H32PBC		0/30	11/04/88	0/90
Green Bay	Green Bay	WI	H32PC		13/25/88	7/10
Butler	Butler	AL	H65PAC	06/16/88	3/30	11/04/88
Leef River Paper Products	New Augusta	GA	H65PAC	06/16/88	6/70	12/23/88
Head Corporation	Chilllicothe	OH	H25BRC60	02/27/88	3/48	0/50
Head Corporation	Zanesville	OH	H2D26003	10/18/86	0/60	12/23/88
Head Corporation	H103	WI	H12/5/87	15/00	0/60	12/23/88
Head Corporation	H106	WI	H12/5/87	15/00	0/60	12/23/88
Head Corporation	Escanaba	MI	H66/66	1/50	11/11/88	0/3/21/88
Head Corporation	Kingsport	TN	H66/66	1/50	11/11/88	0/3/21/88
Mekoosa Papers, Inc.	Port Edwards	WI	H67PBC	06/17/88	6/40	11/16/88
Mekoosa Papers, Inc.	Ashdown	AR	H67PAC	10/08/88	2/80	12/23/88
PennTech Papers, Inc.	Johnsborough	PA	H67PC	08/01/88	3/10	0/30
PennTech Papers, Inc.	Elmwood	PA	H67PBC	09/24/88	1/20	0/12/89
Potlatch Corp.	McGhee	ID	H67PBC	07/15/88	12/00	83/00
Potlatch Corp.	Cleburne	AL	H61PC	06/07/88	3/90	11/11/88
Alabama River Pulp	Cleburne	AL	H61PC1	06/07/88	3/90	96/00
Alabama River Pulp	Rosaria Springs	PA	H33ECA40	06/26/88	1/00	11/03/88
Appleton Papers, Inc.	Rosaria Springs	PA	H62PBC	06/02/88	17/00	11/11/88
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	WY	DC20904	06/25/86	4/36	47/00
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	WY	DC20905	06/25/86	3/00	50/00
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	WY	H67PBC	08/26/88	1/60	11/25/88
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	International	GA	H67PBC2	08/26/88	3/50	3/50
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Quinnsec	GA	H67PAC	06/24/88	3/50	11/25/88
Champion International	Quinnsec	MI	O7P	12/15/87	7/25	03/09/88
Champion International	Quinnsec	MI	O7P	12/15/87	7/30	45/00
Champion International	Cantonment	FL	CPH300	01/15/88	0/70	0/3/21/88
Champion International	Cantonment	FL	CPH300	01/15/88	1/00	4/10
Champion International	Canton	NC	M67B100-500	04/21/88	6/00	0/7/01/88
Champion International	Canton	NC	M67D100-500	04/21/88	5/00	9/90
Champion International	Canton	NC	M67D100-500	07/04/88	10/00	0/7/01/88

A-2. TCDD/TCDF CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

MATRIX-PULP (ppt) HARDWOOD									
Company	City	State	Sample ID	Sample Date	TCDD	TCDD Date	TCDF	TCDF Date	Lab
Chesapeake Corp.	West Point	VA	M74PC90	12/04/88	8.30	02/17/89	14.00	02/17/89	CAL
Pentair, Inc.	Park Falls	WI	M25PC	07/04/88	0.50	11/25/88	0.90	11/25/88	WSU
Federal Paper Board Co.	Augusta	GA	M83PAC	06/10/88	2.50	11/11/88	7.90	11/11/88	WSU
Federal Paper Board Co.	Augusta	GA	M83PBC	06/10/88	4.90	12/16/88	15.00	12/16/88	WSU
Federal Paper Board Co.	Riegelwood	NC	M16PDC	12/13/88	1.20	01/17/89	1.30	01/17/89	WSU
Federal Paper Board Co.	Riegelwood	NC	M16PDC	12/13/88	3.20	01/17/89	1.50	01/17/89	WSU
Finch, Pruyn & Co., Inc.	Glen Falls	NY	M41PC	01/13/89	0.30	02/24/89	0.30	02/24/89	WSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Crosscut	AR	M68PAC	09/02/88	6.00	11/25/88	59.00	11/25/88	WSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Palatka	FL	M24PAC	07/05/88	0.50	11/18/88	0.90	11/18/88	WSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Woodland	ME	M17PC	07/22/88	0.40	12/23/88	0.90	12/23/88	WSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Zachary	LA	M1PAC	07/21/88	16.00	11/25/88	539.00	11/25/88	WSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Zachary	LA	M1PBC	07/21/88	5.20	11/25/88	78.00	11/25/88	WSU
P.H. Glatfelter Co.	Spring Grove	PA	M64PC60	10/28/88	0.40	01/12/89	2.20	01/12/89	CAL
Proctor & Gamble Co.	Mohegan	PA	M42PC	07/06/88	2.00	12/09/88	1.10	12/09/88	WSU
Scott Paper Co.	Mobile	AL	M26PC190	01/13/89	0.60	04/19/89	0.80	04/19/89	CAL
Scott Paper Co.	Ginckley	ME	M61PCA	06/28/88	1.90	11/18/88	18.00	11/18/88	WSU
Scott Paper Co.	Muskegon	MI	M92PC	06/13/88	0.30	11/11/88	1.00	11/11/88	WSU
Scott Paper Co.	Muskegon	MI	M92PC	06/13/88	0.40	11/11/88	1.40	11/11/88	WSU
Scott Paper Co.	Westbrook	ME	M30PAC	06/30/88	4.20	11/18/88	16.00	11/18/88	WSU
Simpson Paper Co.	Pasadena	TX	M2PBC	10/08/88	4.50	12/23/88	11.00	12/23/88	WSU
Stone Container Corp.	Panama City	FL	M102PC	07/19/88	0.10	12/09/88	6.60	12/09/88	WSU
Temple-Eastex, Inc.	Evadale	TX	M3PBC	07/28/88	3.10	11/25/88	6.30	11/25/88	WSU
Temple-Eastex, Inc.	Evdale	TX	M3PDC	07/28/88	4.10	01/17/89	13.00	01/17/89	WSU
Union Camp Corp.	Eastover	SC	M93PBC	07/22/88	0.40	12/23/88	1.30	12/23/88	WSU
Union Camp Corp.	Franklin	VA	UCB600	03/08/88	1.10	11/03/88	2.10	11/03/88	CAL
Union Camp Corp.	Franklin	VA	UCD400	03/08/88	3.20	01/03/89	3.60	01/03/89	CAL
Westvaco Corp.	Covington	VA	M28PBC	07/19/88	6.20	12/02/88	49.00	12/02/88	WSU
Westvaco Corp.	Covington	VA	M28PCC	07/19/88	5.80	01/17/89	19.00	01/17/89	WSU
Westvaco Corp.	Wickliffe	KY	M78PBC	07/23/88	3.10	12/09/88	25.00	12/09/88	WSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	Longview	WA	M45PBC	08/02/88	7.70	12/02/88	20.00	12/02/88	WSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	Rotchilde	WI	M29PC	08/12/88	15.00	12/09/88	26.00	12/09/88	WSU

SOFTWOOD

Company	City	State	Sample ID	Sample Date	TCDD	TCDD Date	TCDF	TCDF Date	Lab
Gaylord Container Corp.	Antioch	CA	M106PAC	10/15/88	33.00	12/23/88	969.00	12/23/88	WSU
Alaska Pulp Co.	Bitka	AK	M5PC	08/27/88	0.70	12/16/88	1.40	12/16/88	WSU
Kimberly-Clark Corp.	Cocoa Pines	AL	M36PBC	08/26/88	4.10	12/02/88	7.30	12/02/88	WSU
Kimberly-Clark Corp.	Cocoa Pines	AL	M36PCC	08/26/88	11.00	12/02/88	38.00	12/02/88	WSU
Kimberly-Clark Corp.	Cocoa Pines	AL	M36PDC	08/26/88	2.60	12/02/88	3.30	12/02/88	WSU
Gilman Paper Co.	St. Marys	GA	M55PBC	09/02/88	3.70	12/09/88	12.00	12/09/88	WSU
Hammerrill Paper Co.	Seine	AL	M68PBC	08/26/88	4.70	12/16/88	22.00	12/16/88	WSU
International Paper Co.	Bastrop	LA	M85PBC	08/20/88	6.30	12/16/88	42.00	12/16/88	WSU
International Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	M70PAC	07/16/88	9.20	11/04/88	38.00	11/04/88	WSU
International Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	M70PAC1	07/16/88	10.00	11/04/88	41.00	11/04/88	WSU
International Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	M70PCC	07/16/88	17.00	12/16/88	55.00	12/16/88	WSU
International Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	M70PCC1	07/16/88	16.00	12/16/88	52.00	12/16/88	WSU
International Paper Co.	Jay	ME	R01-86366	01/15/87	26.00		140.00		WSU
International Paper Co.	Mobile	AL	M71PAC	10/24/88	21.00	12/30/88	106.00	12/30/88	WSU
International Paper Co.	Moss Point	MS	M34PAC	08/07/88	7.30	11/11/88	36.00	11/11/88	WSU

A-2. PCB/DYNE CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

PATRIOT-PAC (ppt)
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Category	Plant	Date	Sample ID	Sample Date	ICDP	ICDF	ICDP Date	ICDF Date
International Paper Co.	Pine Bluff	06/17/68	H51PAC	06/17/68	\$.00	12/02/68	57.00	12/02/68
International Paper Co.	Texarkana	08/06/68	H52PAC	08/06/68	\$1.00	12/23/68	81.00	12/23/68
International Paper Co.	Ticonderoga	06/24/68	H54PAC	06/24/68	\$1.00	11/04/68	185.00	11/04/68
ITR-Rayonier, Inc.	Hoquiam	07/05/68	H54PAC	07/05/68	\$1.00	12/09/68	3.80	12/09/68
ITR-Rayonier, Inc.	Jeep	07/24/68	TRP5	07/24/68	\$1.00	11/03/68	0.80	11/03/68
ITR-Rayonier, Inc.	Port Angeles	07/27/68	H51PAC	07/27/68	\$1.00	12/16/68	2.10	12/16/68
James River Corp.	Berlin	08/19/68	H59PAC	08/19/68	\$2.00	11/04/68	1110.00	11/04/68
James River Corp.	Cansas	08/19/68	H52PAC	08/19/68	\$1.25	11/04/68	0.60	11/04/68
James River Corp.	Cansas	08/19/68	H52PAC	08/19/68	\$1.00	11/04/68	152.00	11/04/68
James River Corp.	Clatskanie	08/19/68	H6374612	08/19/68	\$1.20	04/21/67	54.30	04/21/67
James River Corp.	Clatskanie	08/19/68	H6374612	08/19/68	\$1.00	08/19/67	64.40	08/19/67
James River Corp.	St. Francoisville	08/19/68	H6374612	08/19/68	\$1.00	04/21/67	63.90	04/21/67
James River Corp.	Butler	08/19/68	H52PAC	08/19/68	\$1.00	11/04/68	19.00	11/04/68
James River Corp.	New Augusta	08/19/68	H53SPC60	08/22/68	\$1.00	02/17/69	23.00	02/17/69
Leaf River Forest Products	Longview Fibre Co.	08/29/68	H53SPC60	08/29/68	\$1.00	02/17/69	35.00	02/17/69
Leaf River Forest Products	Longview Fibre Co.	08/29/68	H53SPC	08/29/68	\$1.00	12/02/68	18.00	12/02/68
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	08/29/68	H53SPC	08/29/68	\$1.00	12/02/68	12.00	12/02/68
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	08/29/68	H53SPC	08/29/68	\$1.00	06/19/69	29.00	06/19/69
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	08/29/68	H53SPC P	08/29/68	\$1.00	06/19/69	26.00	06/19/69
Ketchikan Pulp & Paper Co.	Ketchikan	09/15/68	H51PAC	09/15/68	\$0.30	12/09/68	0.30	12/09/68
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	Longview	09/20/68	H57PC	09/20/68	\$1.00	01/12/69	59.00	01/12/69
Mead Corporation	Racenaba	12/15/67	H51PAC	12/15/67	\$2.00	03/09/68	116.00	03/09/68
Nakoso Papers, Inc.	Autdown	10/08/68	H51PAC	10/08/68	\$1.50	12/23/68	39.00	12/23/68
Pope & Talbot, Inc.	Walsey	06/27/68	H51PAC	06/27/68	\$1.00	11/04/68	41.00	11/04/68
Potlatch Corp.	Cloquet	09/24/68	H58PC70	09/24/68	\$1.00	01/12/69	2.90	01/12/69
Potlatch Corp.	Leiston	07/26/68	H56PC	07/26/68	\$2.00	12/02/68	153.00	12/02/68
Potlatch Corp.	Leiston	07/26/68	H56PC1	07/26/68	\$1.50	12/02/68	147.00	12/02/68
Potlatch Corp.	McGhee	07/15/68	H51PAC	07/15/68	\$1.00	12/02/68	39.00	12/02/68
Alabama River Pulp	Gilborne	06/07/68	H51PAC	06/07/68	\$1.00	11/11/68	120.00	11/11/68
Boise Cascade Corp.	Peidder	06/10/68	H58PC	06/10/68	\$1.00	11/11/68	8.70	11/11/68
Boise Cascade Corp.	St. Helens	07/28/68	H76PC70	07/28/68	\$1.00	04/19/69	16.00	04/19/69
Boise Cascade Corp.	St. Helens	08/27/68	H76PC60	08/27/68	\$1.00	04/19/69	12.00	04/19/69
Boise Cascade Corp.	St. Helens	08/27/68	H76PC60	08/27/68	\$1.00	04/19/69	11.00	04/19/69
Boise Cascade Corp.	St. Helens	08/27/68	H82PAC	08/27/68	\$1.00	11/11/68	800.00	11/11/68
Boise Cascade Corp.	Stellula	07/15/68	H66PAC	07/15/68	\$1.00	11/04/68	1380.00	11/04/68
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	08/20/68	D2020902	08/20/68	\$1.00	03/19/67	33.00	04/21/67
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	08/20/68	D2020902	08/20/68	\$1.00	04/21/67	3.30	11/04/68
Bowater Corp.	Gettysburg	06/17/68	H23PC	06/17/68	\$2.10	11/18/68	53.00	11/11/68
Bowater Corp.	Gahoun	06/24/68	H7SPC	06/24/68	\$7.10	11/11/68	4.30	11/23/68
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Brunswick	08/26/68	H67PCC	08/26/68	\$1.00	11/25/68	6.00	11/25/68
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Brunswick	08/26/68	H67PAC	08/26/68	\$1.00	11/25/68	9.40	11/23/68
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Brunswick	08/26/68	H67PAC1	08/26/68	\$1.00	11/03/68	0.70	11/03/68
Buckeye Cellulose	Perry	01/15/68	H91PC80	01/15/68	\$0.50	11/03/68	2.50	11/03/68
Buckeye Cellulose	Perry	07/23/68	H22PC40	07/23/68	\$0.50	11/03/68	0.90	11/03/68
Champion International	Qethorpe	12/03/68	DP24410	12/03/68	\$1.00	04/21/67	1.20	04/21/67
Champion International	Qethorpe	12/03/68	DF024411	12/03/68	\$1.00	08/19/67	7.68	04/21/67
Champion International	Qethorpe	12/03/68	DF024411	12/03/68	\$1.00	08/19/67	7.90	08/19/67
Champion International	Courtland	06/24/68	M40PBC	06/24/68	\$2.00	102.00	11/18/68	MSU
Champion International	Courtland	01/15/68	CPS300	01/15/68	\$2.00	09/30/68	2.20	09/30/68
Champion International	Catoosa	01/13/68	CPS300	01/13/68	\$2.00	03/21/68	0.90	03/21/68

A-2. TCEP/TCP CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

MATRIX-PULP (PPM) SOUTHERN						
City	Sample ID	ICDD Date	ICDF Date	ICDD	ICDF Date	Lab
Germany						
Champion International	CP6302	01/15/88	1-10	03/21/88	1-10	CAL
Champion International	H15PC	10/07/88	6-80	12/23/88	6-80	HSU
Champion International	H47A100-500	04/21/88	17-00	07/01/88	27-00	HSU
Champion International	H47C100-500	04/21/88	6-50	07/01/88	11-00	HSU
Champion International	H47C100-500Q	04/21/88	6-50	10/06/88	5-50	HSU
Federal Paper Board Co.	M43PC	06/10/88	7-90	12/16/88	19-00	HSU
Federal Paper Board Co.	H16PAC	12/13/88	6-00	01/17/89	3-20	HSU
Federal Paper Board Co.	H16PAC	12/13/88	4-30	01/17/89	4-70	HSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	H16PAC	07/21/88	2-60	12/09/88	4-90	HSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	H40PC	10/22/88	3-50	06/14/89	409-10	CAL
P.H. Glatfelter Co.	H40PC1	09/02/88	7-70	11/25/88	89-00	HSU
P.H. Glatfelter Co.	H40PAC	09/02/88	19-00	11/25/88	306-00	HSU
P.H. Glatfelter Co.	AR					11/25/88
Pelletta	FL					HSU
Pelletta	H26PAC	07/15/88	2-50	11/18/88	2-40	HSU
Pellachary	LA					11/18/88
Spring Grove	PA					HSU
Spring Grove	H44PC50	10/28/88	3-90	01/12/89	13-00	CAL
Spring Grove	H44PC500	10/28/88	6-50	01/12/89	16-00	HSU
Everett	WA					HSU
Mobile	AL					HSU
Mobile	H26PC150	10/26/88	2-30	06/13/89	4-30	CAL
Blanchley	AL					11/18/88
Blanchley	H41PC180	01/13/89	1-70	04/19/89	2-20	CAL
Blanchley	H41PC50	06/20/88	6-50	11/18/88	37-00	HSU
Westbrook	HE					HSU
Anderson	HE					11/18/88
Simpson Paper Co.	H40PC1	06/26/88	7-90	11/18/88	35-00	HSU
Simpson Paper Co.	H40PAC	06/30/88	8-10	11/18/88	30-00	HSU
Simpson Paper Co.	H40PC	06/24/88	49-00	11/11/88	2620-00	HSU
Simpson Paper Co.	CA					11/11/88
Simpson Paper Co.	H43PC60	09/05/88	20-00	11/03/88	106-00	CAL
Simpson Paper Co.	TX					11/03/88
Simpson Paper Co.	H27PAC	10/06/88	18-00	12/3/88	48-10	HSU
Simpson Paper Co.	H27PAC1	10/06/88	18-00	12/23/88	66-00	HSU
Yacoma	WA					HSU
Port St. Joe	FL					HSU
Missoula	MT					HSU
Snowflake	A2					HSU
Paydala	TX					HSU
Paydala	T4					HSU
Eastover	SC					HSU
Franklin	VA					HSU
Franklin	H18PC	07/12/88	4-10	11/18/88	13-00	CAL
Union Camp Corp.	H18PC	07/17/88	7-70	12/23/88	1-30	HSU
Union Camp Corp.	H18PC	07/29/88	1-90	11/25/88	9-60	HSU
Union Camp Corp.	H18PC	07/28/88	7-80	11/25/88	22-00	HSU
Union Camp Corp.	H28PAC	07/22/88	2-60	12/23/88	5-60	HSU
Union Camp Corp.	H28PAC	08/02/88	2-20	12/23/88	5-70	HSU
Union Camp Corp.	H28PAC	07/23/88	3-10	11/03/88	106-00	CAL
Union Camp Corp.	H28PAC	05/08/88	3-10	12/3/88	48-10	HSU
Union Camp Corp.	VA					HSU
Union Camp Corp.	UC4100	05/08/88	5-20	11/03/88	5-70	CAL
Union Camp Corp.	UC6400	05/08/88	5-20	11/03/88	5-70	HSU
Union Camp Corp.	UC8500	03/05/88	5-40	11/03/88	6-90	HSU
Westvaco Corp.	H28PAC	07/19/88	13-00	12/02/88	105-00	HSU
Westvaco Corp.	H62PC	06/28/88	29-00	11/18/88	157-00	HSU
Hickliffe	KY					HSU
Hickliffe	H78PACD	07/23/88	11-00	12/09/88	54-00	CAL
Gesepolis	WA					HSU
Gesepolis	H4PAC	08/05/88	1-00	12/09/88	6-30	HSU
Everett	WA					HSU
Longview	WA					HSU
New Bern	NC					HSU
Plymouth	NC					HSU
Everett	H43PAC	08/22/88	1-70	12/02/88	2-60	CAL
Longview	H43PAC1	09/02/88	3-60	12/02/88	2-80	HSU
New Bern	H6PAC	08/13/88	7-50	11/18/88	45-00	HSU
Plymouth	H96PC8Q	02/13/89	14-00	04/19/89	222-00	HSU

A-2. TCDD/TCDF CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

MATRIX-SLUDGE (ppt)										
Company	City	State	Sample ID	Sample Date	TCDD	TCDD Date	TCDF	TCDF Date	Lab	
Gaylord Container Corp.	Antioch	CA	M106SC	10/15/88	101.00	01/03/89	1570.00	01/03/89	CAL	
Alaska Pulp Co.	Sitka	AK	M98C-1	08/27/88	4.70	06/29/89	42.00	06/29/89	CAL	
Lincoln Pulp and Paper	Lincoln	ME	M11SC	11/19/88	40.00	01/26/89	223.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Wausau Paper Mills Co.	Brockway	WI	M94SC	07/22/88	1.30	12/22/88	68.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Wausau Paper Mills Co.	Brockway	WI	M54SC	07/22/88	4.10	06/29/89	56.00	06/29/89	CAL	
Gulf States Paper Corp.	Demopolis	AL	M101SC	06/14/88	51.00	12/06/88	12.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Gulf States Paper Corp.	Demopolis	AL	M101SC	06/14/88	37.00	10/06/89	107.00	10/06/89	CAL	
Hammermill Paper Co.	Erie	PA	M103SC	06/19/88	1.40	12/22/88	3.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Hammermill Paper Co.	Erie	PA	M103SC	06/19/88	0.90	03/01/89	3.10	03/01/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Eastrop	LA	M95SC	06/20/88	140.00	01/03/89	677.00	01/03/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	M70SC	07/16/88	62.00	12/06/88	161.00	12/06/88	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Jay	ME	RG1-86397	01/15/82	500.00		2100.00		HSU	
International Paper Co.	Jay	ME	RG186387		193.00	04/21/87	879.00	04/21/87	HSU	
International Paper Co.	Jay	ME	RG186387		160.00	08/19/87	670.00	08/19/87	HSU	
International Paper Co.	Jay	ME	RG186387A		191.00	08/26/87	762.00	08/26/87	HSU	
International Paper Co.	Jay	ME	RG186387B		161.00	08/26/87	713.00	08/26/87	HSU	
International Paper Co.	Mobile	AL	M71SC	10/24/88	100.00	01/26/89	617.00	01/26/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Moss Point	MS	M84SC	06/07/88	161.00	12/06/88	1020.00	12/06/88	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Matchet	MS	M97SC	08/12/88	14.00	11/03/88	78.00	11/03/88	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Pine Bluff	AR	M51SC	06/17/88	185.00	12/06/88	2940.00	12/06/88	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Texarkana	TX	M99SC	08/06/88	71.00	01/03/89	1000.00	01/03/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Texarkana	TX	M99SC	08/06/88	86.00	06/19/89	387.00	06/19/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Texarkana	TX	M99SC1	08/06/88		01/03/89	600.00	01/03/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Ticonderoga	NY	M93SC	06/24/88	39.00	12/06/88	267.00	12/06/88	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Ticonderoga	NY	M98SC	06/24/88	306.00	12/06/88	2470.00	12/06/88	CAL	
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Fernandina Beach	FL	M90SC	07/06/88	4.70	06/29/89	32.00	06/29/89	CAL	
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Boquim	WA	M33SC	07/09/88	4.80	06/29/89	25.00	06/29/89	CAL	
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Jesup	GA	M84SC	07/24/88	3.80	02/17/89	2.40	02/17/89	CAL	
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Port Angeles	WA	M12SAC	07/27/88	47.80	06/29/89	65.00	06/29/89	CAL	
James River Corp.	Berlin	ME	M85SC	08/19/88	184.00	12/19/88	2930.00	12/19/88	CAL	
James River Corp.	Berlin	NH	M89SC	08/19/88	98.00	06/19/89	2170.00	06/19/89	CAL	
James River Corp.	Gaines	WA	M32SC		18.00	12/06/88	105.00	12/06/88	CAL	
James River Corp.	Clatskanie	OR	M6374641	09/10/86	19.00		100.00		HSU	
James River Corp.	Clatskanie	OR	M6374642	09/10/86	89.00		810.00		HSU	
James River Corp.	Green Bay	WI	M72SBC		35.00	12/22/88	250.00	12/22/88	CAL	
James River Corp.	Old Town	ME	M85SAC		12.00	12/06/88	34.00	12/06/88	CAL	
James River Corp.	St. Francesville	LA	M52SAC		96.00	12/06/88	243.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Leaf River Forest Products	New Augusta	ME	M35SSC10	02/27/88	601.00	02/17/89		02/17/89	CAL	
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	WA	M53SC	06/29/88	69.00	12/22/88	437.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Ketchikan Pulp & Paper Co.	Ketchikan	AK	M31SC	08/15/88	3.30	06/29/89		06/29/89	CAL	
Ketchikan Pulp & Paper Co.	Ketchikan	AK	M31SC	08/15/88	0.40		2.00		CAL	
Mead Corporation	Chillicothe	OH	DE026011		3.32	04/21/87	42.60	04/21/87	HSU	
Mead Corporation	Chillicothe	OH	DE026011		3.21	08/19/87	34.50	08/19/87	HSU	
Mead Corporation	Escanaba	MI	M51S	12/15/87	125.00	09/30/88	574.00	09/30/88	HSU	
Mead Corporation	Kingsport	TN	M73SC	06/06/88	3.00	01/26/89	25.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Nekoosa Papers, Inc.	Mekoosa & Port Edwards	WI	M77SC	06/17/88	109.00	12/22/88	1300.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Nekoosa Papers, Inc.	Ashdown	AR	M20SC	10/08/88	13.00	01/26/89	30.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Pope & Talbot, Inc.	Galasy	OR	M19SC	06/27/88	31.00	12/06/88	106.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Potlatch Corp.	Cloquet	MN	M36SC0	09/24/88	5.00	01/26/89	25.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Potlatch Corp.	Lewiston	ID	M36SC	07/26/88	78.00	01/26/89	639.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Potlatch Corp.	McGhee	AR	M18SC	07/15/88	91.00	12/19/88	433.00	12/19/88	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Claiborne	AL	M21SC	06/07/88	51.00	12/06/88	373.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Claiborne	AL	M21SC1	06/07/88	73.00	12/06/88	393.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Claiborne	AL	M21SC2	06/07/88	68.00	01/26/89	342.00	01/26/89	CAL	

A-2. TCMR/TCDW CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

Company	City	MATRIX-SOURCE (part)			TCDF Date	ICDF Date	Lab
		Sample ID	Sample Date	ICDF			
Appleton Papers, Inc.	Boiling Springs	HJ3SCD	06/26/86	5.00	11/03/86	113.00	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	H63SC	05/17/86	16.00	12/22/86	147.00	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	W45SC1	06/17/86	10.40	12/22/86	169.00	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	St. Helens	H76SCD	02/24/86	6.20	04/19/86	25.00	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Sumford	H42SC	06/02/86	105.00	12/06/86	674.00	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Wellius	H44SC	07/15/86	78.00	12/22/86	149.00	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	DB0207240	08/25/86	84.00		380.00	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	DB020620	08/25/86	718.00		1090.00	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	DB020620	07-4-90	03/19/87	624.00	03/19/87	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	DB020620	07-4-90	04/21/87	732.00	04/21/87	HSU
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Brunswick	H67SC	05/26/86	35.00	01/03/89	62.00	CAL
Buckeye Cellulose	Perry	W91SCD		12.00	11/03/86	40.00	CAL
Buckeye Cellulose	Ogallorope	W22SC10	07/23/86	2.60	11/03/86	6.10	HSU
Buckeye Cellulose	Ogallorope	W22SC10	07/23/86	2.60	11/03/86	3.90	CAL
Champion International	Louis	DP024114	12/03/86	17.00		32.00	HSU
Champion International	Louis	DP024119	12/03/86	36.00		78.00	HSU
Champion International	Louis	DP024113		11.50	03/19/87	33.70	03/19/87
Champion International	Louis	DP024106		19.20	04/21/87	35.70	04/21/87
Champion International	Louis	DP024106		17.40	08/19/87	31.90	08/19/87
Champion International	Cortland	H40SC	05/24/86	215.00	12/22/86	923.00	CAL
Champion International	Quincy	Q11S	12/15/87	95.00	09/30/86	735.00	HSU
Champion International	Cantonment	CP1	01/15/86	14.00	11/03/86	21.00	CAL
Champion International	Houston	H15SC	10/07/86	106.00	01/03/89	144.00	01/03/89
Champion International	Carson	H47JJ100-500Q	04/21/86	113.00	07/03/86	07/01/86	HSU
Champion International	Carson	H47JJ100-500Q	04/21/86	112.00	10/06/86	260.00	10/06/86
Chesapeake Corp.	West Point	HP4SC130	12/04/86	14.00	02/17/89	47.00	02/17/89
Container Corp. of America	Brenton	AL	07/01/86	16.50	12/22/86	34.00	12/22/86
Pentz, Inc.	Park Falls	H22SC	07/04/86	8.40	12/19/86	90.00	12/19/86
Pentz, Inc.	Park Falls	H22SC	07/05/86	11.00	06/29/89	73.00	06/29/89
Federal Paper Board Co.	Biggledow	H16SC	12/13/86	1.80	04/19/89	5.20	04/19/89
Federal Paper Board Co.	Ridgefield	H16SCD	12/13/86	2.50	04/19/89	3.30	04/19/89
Finch, Pruyn & Co., Inc.	Glen Falls	H11SC	01/13/89	3.70	06/29/89	06/29/89	CAL
Finch, Pruyn & Co., Inc.	Glen Falls	H11SC	01/13/89	1.20		7.40	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Bellingham	H60SC1	07/22/86	19.00	06/29/89	586.00	06/29/89
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Croset	H68SRC	09/02/86	10.00	12/22/86	16.00	12/22/86
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Oppland	H17SC	07/22/86	1.90	12/19/86	7.30	12/19/86
Zachary, Prugh & Co.	Zachary	H11SC	07/21/86	17.00	12/19/86	42.00	12/19/86
P.H. Glatfelter Co.	Spring Grove	H44SC04	10/26/86	93.00	06/19/89	238.00	06/19/89
Fraction & Gable Co.	NaHo Company	H42SC	07/06/86	2.30	06/29/89	06/29/89	CAL
Proctor & Gamble Co.	Everett	H60SC	07/06/86	0.30		0.70	CAL
Scott Paper Co.	Mobile	H26SC240	07/17/86	14.00	08/02/89	72.00	08/02/89
Scott Paper Co.	Hickley	H61SCB	01/13/89	9.50	04/19/89	18.00	04/19/89
Scott Paper Co.	Hickley	H61SCC1	06/28/86	6.50	12/06/86	29.00	12/06/86
Scott Paper Co.	Hickley	H61SCA	06/28/86	67.00	12/06/86	33.00	12/06/86
Scott Paper Co.	Hickley	H30SC	06/30/86	13.00	12/19/86	55.00	12/19/86
Scott Paper Co.	Westbrook	H98SC	06/24/86	21.00	01/03/89	67.00	01/03/89
Anderson	Tacoma	H41SCD	08/01/89	10.00		176.00	CAL
Simpson Paper Co.	Tacoma	H41SC	10/29/86		01/03/89	87.00	01/03/89
Simpson Paper Co.	Tacoma	H41SC	10/29/86	39.00	06/19/89	101.00	06/19/89
Simpson Paper Co.	Tacoma	H41SC	10/29/86	39.00	06/19/89	106.00	06/19/89
Simpson Paper Co.	Tacoma City	H41SC D	07/19/86	3.60	12/22/86	16.00	12/22/86
Stone Container Corp.		PL					

A-2. REPORT/TOXIC CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

MATERIAL-SOURCES (ppt.)									
City	Company	Sample_ID	Sample_Date	TCDP	TCDP Date	ICDP	ICDP Date	ICDF	ICDF Date
Bethel	Temple-Ester, Inc.	WES3	07/28/88	16.00	12/06/88	49.00	12/06/88	CAL	01/03/89
Bethel	Union Camp Corp.	WPS3C	07/22/88	6.90	01/03/89	13.00	01/03/89	CAL	
Franklin	Union Camp Corp.	WPS10	05/08/88	3.60	11/03/88	6.00	11/03/88	CAL	
Givin	Westvaco Corp.	WPS3C	07/19/88	119.00	12/19/88	799.00	12/19/88	CAL	
Lake	Westvaco Corp.	WPS3C	06/28/88	99.00	12/24/88	471.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Mitchells	Westvaco Corp.	WPS3C	07/23/88	9.60	12/23/88	46.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Concordia	Weyerhaeuser Co.	WPS3C1	08/06/88	13.00	06/29/89	61.00	06/29/89	CAL	
Longview	Weyerhaeuser Co.	WPS3C-L	08/02/88	25.00	12/22/88	80.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Longview	Weyerhaeuser Co.	WPS3C1-L	08/02/88	31.00	03/01/89	84.00	12/22/88	CAL	
New Bern	Weyerhaeuser Co.	WPS3C	08/13/88	373.00	12/19/88	1920.00	12/19/88	CAL	
New Bern	Weyerhaeuser Co.	WPS3C1	08/13/88	213.00	12/19/88	1600.00	12/19/88	CAL	
Plymouth	Weyerhaeuser Co.	WPS3C	08/13/88	1399.00	04/19/89	17100.00	04/19/89	CAL	
Rotchard	Weyerhaeuser Co.	WPS3C	08/12/88	31.00	12/19/88	150.00	12/19/88	CAL	
MANUFACTURERS (ppm)									
City	Company	Sample_ID	Sample_Date	TCDP	TCDP Date	ICDP	ICDP Date	ICDF	ICDF Date
KY	WPS3AC	10/28/88	63.80	01/26/89	380.00	01/26/89	210.00	01/26/89	CAL
KY	WPS3BC	10/28/88	52.90	01/26/89	1800.00	12/06/88	9200.00	12/06/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	07/22/88	36.00	12/06/88	9200.00	12/06/88	610.00	12/06/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	08/26/88	3800.00	12/06/88	2900.00	12/06/88	1200.00	12/06/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	09/02/88	240.00	12/06/88	2900.00	12/06/88	1200.00	12/06/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	09/26/88	680.00	12/06/88	2900.00	12/06/88	1200.00	12/06/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	09/16/88	330.00	12/06/88	1100.00	12/06/88	1200.00	12/06/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	06/10/88	280.00	12/06/88	440.00	12/06/88	880.00	12/06/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	06/17/88	620.00	12/22/88	17000.00	12/22/88	6100.00	12/22/88	CAL
Al	WPS3C	06/24/88	0.00	02/14/89	14000.00	02/14/89	6000.00	02/14/89	CAL
Al	WPS3C	06/24/88	4500.00	02/14/89	14000.00	02/14/89	6000.00	02/14/89	CAL
Al	WPS3C	06/10/88	680.00	03/03/89	1400.00	01/03/89	1200.00	01/03/89	CAL
Al	WPS3AC1	09/02/88	190.00	02/14/89	740.00	12/22/88	1200.00	02/14/89	CAL
Al	WPS3C1	09/02/88	190.00	02/14/89	710.00	02/14/89	410.00	02/14/89	CAL
FL	WPS3C	07/05/88	92.00	12/06/88	410.00	12/06/88	6.00	06/29/89	CAL
PA	WPS3AC	07/06/88	14.00	06/28/89	15.00	12/06/88	150.00	12/06/88	CAL
PA	WPS3C	07/13/88	35.00						

A-2. TCD/TCP CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

Company	City	State	MATERIAL/INFILTRANT (ppm)		ICDF Date	TCPF Date	Lab
			Sample ID	Sample Date			
Gaylord Container Corp.	Bellefontaine	CA	M10SEC	10/15/88	49.00	01/03/89	CAL
Wilmadette Industries	Bellefontaine	KY	H4SEC	10/26/88	11.00	01/03/89	CAL
Aleka Pulp Co.	Bethel	AK	H5SEC-1	08/27/88	7.70	06/28/89	CAL
Bader Paper Mills, Inc.	Bethel	MI	H4SEC	07/22/88	9.80	11/15/88	CAL
Bader Paper Mills, Inc.	Bethel	MI	H4SEC	07/23/88	6.40	06/28/89	CAL
Bader Paper Mills, Inc.	Bethel	MI	H4SEC	07/22/88	6.40	11/15/88	CAL
Bader Paper Mills, Inc.	Bethel	MI	H4SEC	07/21/88	3.40	06/28/89	CAL
Kieberly-Clark Corp.	Cocoa Pines	AL	H3SEC	08/26/88	35.00	11/15/88	CAL
Lincoln	PB	H11EC		10/19/88	32.40	01/26/89	CAL
Brokaw	HI	H4SEC		07/22/88	4.30	11/15/88	CAL
Brokaw	HI	H4SEC		07/22/88	4.10	06/28/89	CAL
St. Marys	GA	M5SEC		09/02/88	6.90	11/15/88	CAL
Gemopolis	AL	H10EC		06/14/88	38.00	11/15/88	CAL
St. Marys	PA	H10ECX		06/19/88	24.00	01/26/89	CAL
St. Marys	AL	H4SEC		06/16/88	81.00	11/15/88	CAL
St. Marys	LA	H4SEC		06/25/88	330.00	06/28/89	CAL
St. Marys	SC	M70EC		07/16/88	640.00	11/15/88	CAL
Gilmans Paper Co.	Georgetown	SC	H70EC1	07/16/88	490.00	11/22/88	CAL
Gulf States Paper Corp.	Jay	MS	RG186386		88.10	07/07/87	HSU
Hannemill Paper Co.	Jay	MS	RG186386		95.30	09/30/87	HSU
Hannemill Paper Co.	Jay	MS	BG186386A		80.40	08/26/87	HSU
International Paper Co.	Jay	AL	H71EC	10/24/88	100.00	01/03/89	CAL
International Paper Co.	Nobilia	AL	H71EC	10/24/88	100.00	05/31/89	CAL
International Paper Co.	Nobilia	MS	H34EC	06/07/88	160.00	11/15/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	Notches	MS	H77EC	08/12/88	38.00	11/03/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	Pine Bluff	AR	H31EC	06/17/88	119.00	11/03/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	Foxertons	TX	H99EC	08/05/88	13.00	11/22/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	Foxertons	TX	H99EC1	08/05/88	13.00	11/22/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	Fiamondroga	NY	H4EC	06/24/88	16.00	11/04/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	Zicendorfosa	NY	H9EC1	06/24/88	21.00	11/04/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	Permanente Beach	PL	H30EC	07/08/88	7.00	06/28/89	CAL
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Requim	WA	H33EC	07/09/88	23.00	06/28/89	CAL
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Requim	GA	H44EC	07/24/88	23.00	11/22/88	CAL
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Reup	GA	H54EC	07/24/88	24.00	11/22/88	CAL
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Reup	GA	H64ZAC1	07/24/88	11.00	05/31/89	CAL
ITT-Rayonier, Inc.	Reup	WA	H12EC	07/27/88	23.00	06/28/89	CAL
James River Corp.	Berlin	WA	H49EC	08/19/88	59.00	12/05/88	CAL
James River Corp.	Camas	WA	H32EC		53.00	05/31/89	CAL
James River Corp.	Cleatskanie	OR	66374643		13.70	07/09/87	HSU
James River Corp.	Old Town	OR	66374643		19.30	11/15/88	CAL
James River Corp.	SP. Francesville	LA	H52EC		8.30	02/16/89	CAL
James River Corp.	Green Bay	WI	H72EC		8.30	12/06/88	CAL
James River Corp.	Green Bay	WI	H92EC		11.00	12/06/88	CAL
James River Corp.	Green Bay	WI	H72EC		19.00	06/28/89	CAL
James River Corp.	Green Bay	WI	H72ZAC1		13.00	06/28/89	CAL
James River Corp.	Longview	WA	H9EC		30.00	11/15/88	CAL
James River Corp.	Longview	WA	H16/88		82.00	02/16/89	CAL
James River Corp.	Longview	WA	H16/88		23.00	11/04/88	CAL
James River Corp.	Longview	WA	H27/88		200.00	02/16/89	CAL
Leaf River Forest Products	New Augusta	WA	H29/88		14.60	12/05/88	CAL
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	Longview Fibre Co.	WA	H3/88		6.70	06/28/89	CAL
Ketchikan Pulp & Paper Co.	SP. Ketchikan	AK	H31EC	08/15/88	15.00	06/28/89	CAL
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	SP. Ketchikan	CA	H70EC10	11/20/88	72.00	01/26/89	CAL
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	Sanora	CA	H70EC10D	11/20/88	67.00	120.00	CAL
Head Corporation	Chillicothe	OH	DEO26013	10/16/88	3.00	05/31/89	CAL
						11.00	HSU

A-2. TCDD/TCDF CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

MATERIAL-EFFLUENT (ppq)									
Company	City	State	Sample ID	Sample Date	TCDD	TCDD Date	TCDF	TCDF Date	Lab
Mead Corporation	Iscanesba	MI	M1802	12/15/87	17.00	08/06/88	50.80	08/08/88	WSU
Mead Corporation	Kingsport	TN	M73EC	06/06/88	6.00	11/04/88	44.00	11/04/88	CAL
Mekoosa Papers, Inc.	Mekoosa & Port Edwards	MI	M77EC	06/17/88	40.00	11/04/88	320.00	11/04/88	CAL
Mekoosa Papers, Inc.	Ashdown	AR	M20EC	10/08/88	43.00	02/16/89	94.00	02/16/89	CAL
Penntech Papers, Inc.	Johnsburg	PA	M37EAC	08/01/88	6.00	12/19/88	14.00	12/19/88	CAL
Penntech Papers, Inc.	Johnsburg	PA	M37EC	08/01/88	6.70	12/19/88	65.00	12/19/88	CAL
Pope & Talbot, Inc.	Halsey	OR	M19EC	06/27/88	38.00	11/04/88	82.00	11/04/88	CAL
Potlatch Corp.	Cloquet	MN	M38ECO	09/24/88	24.00	01/26/89	46.00	01/26/89	CAL
Potlatch Corp.	Lewiston	ID	M56EC	07/26/88	71.00	11/15/88	360.00	11/15/88	CAL
Potlatch Corp.	Lewiston	ID	M36EC1	07/26/88	79.00	11/15/88	320.00	11/15/88	CAL
Potlatch Corp.	McGhee	AR	M18EC	07/15/88	40.00	11/22/88	100.00	11/22/88	CAL
Alabama River Pulp	Clairborne	AL	M21EC	06/07/88	41.00	11/04/88	250.00	11/04/88	CAL
Alabama River Pulp	Cleiborne	AL	M21EC1	06/07/88	40.00	11/04/88	250.00	11/04/88	CAL
Alabama River Pulp	Cleiborne	AL	M21EC2	06/07/88	46.00	01/03/89	210.00	01/03/89	CAL
Appleton Papers, Inc.	Roaring Springs	PA	M13EDO	06/26/88	11.00	11/03/88	18.00	11/03/88	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	AL	M45EC	06/17/88	93.00	01/26/89	540.00	01/26/89	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	AL	M65EC1	06/17/88	120.00	01/26/89	630.00	01/26/89	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Derrider	LA	M58EC	06/10/88	9.20	11/04/88	44.00	11/04/88	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	St. Helens	OR	M26ECO	02/24/89	22.00	04/19/89	100.00	04/19/89	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Rumford	ME	M82EC	06/02/88	120.00	11/04/88	570.00	11/04/88	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	Wellula	WA	M66EQ	07/13/88	360.00	12/19/88	7500.00	12/19/88	CAL
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	MN	D6020922		111.00	01/16/87	2180.00	02/12/87	WSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	MN	D6020923		150.00	02/12/87	-	-	WSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	MN	D6020922		111.00	02/12/87	-	-	WSU
Bowater Corp.	Catasba	BC	M23EC	06/17/88	24.00	11/04/88	42.00	11/04/88	CAL
Bowater Corp.	Calhoun	TN	M73EC	06/24/88	6.00	12/19/88	5.50	12/19/88	CAL
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Brunswick	GA	M87EC	06/26/88	30.00	12/06/88	68.00	12/06/88	CAL
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Brunswick	GA	M87EC1	06/26/88	30.00	12/06/88	50.00	12/06/88	CAL
Buckeye Cellulose	Ferry	FL	M91ECO		37.00	11/03/88	80.00	11/03/88	CAL
Buckeye Cellulose	Oglethorpe	GA	M22EC10	07/23/88	12.00	11/03/88	26.00	11/03/88	CAL
Champion International	Lufkin	TX	D7024512		7.50	07/09/87	6.90	07/09/87	WSU
Champion International	Lufkin	TX	D7024512		7.20	09/30/87	6.70	09/30/87	WSU
Champion International	Lufkin	TX	D7024512		9.10	11/16/87	-	-	WSU
Champion International	Courtland	AL	M46EC	06/24/88	77.00	11/04/88	340.00	11/04/88	CAL
Champion International	Quinnesec	MI	Q14E	12/15/87	9.00	10/03/88	66.00	10/03/88	WSU
Champion International	Cantonment	FL	CP1000	01/15/88	11.00	11/03/88	38.00	11/03/88	CAL
Champion International	Houston	TX	M15EC	10/07/88	-	01/03/89	86.00	01/03/89	CAL
Champion International	Houston	TX	M15EC1	10/07/88	-	-	11.00	01/13/89	CAL
Champion International	Houston	TX	M15EC2	10/07/88	5.30	05/31/89	5.80	05/31/89	CAL
Champion International	Carson	NC	M47G100-500	04/21/88	15.00	05/31/89	7.20	05/31/89	CAL
Champion International	West Point	VA	M74EC140	12/04/88	16.00	04/19/89	96.00	04/19/89	CAL
Chesapeake Corp.	Brownston	AL	M67EC	07/01/88	6.50	11/04/88	10.00	11/04/88	CAL
Container Corp. of America	Park Falls	WI	M25EC	07/04/88	5.40	11/22/88	4.80	11/22/88	CAL
Federal Paper Board Co	Augusta	GA	M83EC	06/10/88	16.00	12/06/88	47.00	12/06/88	CAL
Federal Paper Board Co	Biegelwood	NC	M16EC	12/13/88	28.00	05/31/89	61.00	01/26/89	CAL
Finch, Fruen & Co., Inc.	Glen Falls	NY	M41EC	01/13/89	7.90	06/28/89	2.90	06/28/89	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Bellingham	WA	M60EC1	07/22/88	5.30	06/28/89	840.00	06/28/89	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Crozet	VA	M68EC	09/02/88	96.00	12/19/88	370.00	12/19/88	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Palatka	FL	M24EC	07/05/88	16.00	11/15/88	38.00	11/15/88	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Woodland	ME	M17EC	07/22/88	6.00	11/04/88	25.00	11/04/88	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Zachary	LA	M1EC	07/21/88	190.00	11/22/88	-	-	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	Zachary	LA	M1EC	07/21/88	160.00	05/31/89	3000.00	05/31/89	CAL
P.H. Gleckfeller Co.	Spring Grove	PA	M64EC20	10/28/88	8.40	01/26/89	26.00	01/26/89	CAL

A-2. TCEP/TCE CONCENTRATION DATA (CONTINUED)

Company	City	MATRIX-EVENT (ppq)					
		Sample ID	Sample Date	TCEP Data	TCEP Date	TCEP Data	TCEP Date
Proctor & Gamble Co.	PA	H92EC	07/06/88	1.70	06/26/89	2.80	06/26/89
Scott Paper Co.	PA	H90EAC	07/17/88	7.50	06/28/89	29.00	06/28/89
Scott Paper Co.	WA	H90EBC	07/17/88	8.30	06/28/89	2.60	06/28/89
Scott Paper Co.	AL	H96ECD2.0	01/13/89	14.00	04/17/89	19.00	02/17/89
Scott Paper Co.	IL	H91EC	04/28/88	14.00	12/19/88	63.00	12/19/88
Scott Paper Co.	IL	H91EC1	04/28/88	19.00	12/19/88	10.00	12/19/88
Scott Paper Co.	IL	H92EC	09/13/88	8.40	12/06/88	62.00	12/06/88
Scott Paper Co.	IL	H90EC	06/30/88	6.30	11/22/88	12.00	11/22/88
Simpson Paper Co.	CA	H92EC	04/24/88	250.00	11/24/88	840.00	11/22/88
Simpson Paper Co.	CA	H93ECO	08/06/88	100.00	11/03/88	660.00	11/03/88
Simpson Paper Co.	TX	H91EC	10/08/88	100.00	01/03/89	1400.00	01/03/89
Simpson Paper Co.	TX	H92EC	08/14/88	250.00	11/22/88	730.00	11/22/88
Simpson Paper Co.	WA	H910ECO	08/01/88	12.00	10/00	10.00	10/00
Simpson Paper Co.	WA	H911EC	10/29/88	100.00	01/03/89	27.00	01/03/89
Simpson Paper Co.	WA	H911EC	10/29/88	100.00	05/31/89	26.00	05/31/89
Simpson Paper Co.	WA	H911EC	10/29/88	100.00	01/03/89	26.00	01/03/89
Simpson Paper Co.	PL	H94EC1	08/02/88	21.00	02/16/89	22.00	03/31/89
St. Joe Paper Co.	IL	H927EC	07/12/88	3.20	12/15/88	60.00	02/16/89
Stone Container Corp.	PA	H902EAC	07/19/88	0.40	11/22/88	7.60	11/15/88
Stone Container Corp.	FL	H902EBC	07/19/88	6.90	11/22/88	16.00	11/22/88
Stone Container Corp.	AZ	H900EC	07/17/88	5.50	11/22/88	39.00	11/22/88
Stone Container Corp.	TX	H90EC	07/28/88	68.00	05/31/89	100.00	05/31/89
Stone Container Corp.	AC	H993EC	07/22/88	20.00	11/22/88	53.00	11/22/88
Stone Container Corp.	VA	HCF1080	03/06/88	68.00	11/03/88	7.90	11/22/88
Stone Container Corp.	VA	H92EC	07/19/88	6.00	11/22/88	52.00	11/22/88
Stone Container Corp.	VA	H92EC	06/26/88	16.00	12/19/88	4.90	12/19/88
Stone Container Corp.	VA	H92EC	07/23/88	35.00	12/06/88	150.00	12/06/88
Temple-Easton, Inc.	WA	H905/88	9.70	06/28/89	400.00	06/28/89	06/28/89
Union Camp Corp.	WA	H79EC	07/24/88	33.00	11/15/88	260.00	11/15/88
Westvaco Corp.	WA	H93EC-L	09/02/88	10.00	11/15/88	37.00	11/15/88
Westvaco Corp.	WA	H93EC-L	09/02/88	6.50	11/15/88	21.00	11/15/88
Westvaco Corp.	WA	H94ECO	02/13/88	44.00	12/06/88	180.00	12/06/88
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H92EC	09/12/88	12.00	04/19/89	24.00	04/19/89
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H929EC	06/28/88	18.00	06/28/89	18.00	06/28/89

A-3. TCDF/TCDF FIELD DUCATIVES

Company	City	MAPKX-PULP (ppm)		TCDF	TCDF Date	Lab
		Sample ID	Sample Date			
International Paper Co.		H45PAC	06/20/88	5.10	12/16/88	HSU
International Paper Co.		H45PAC1	04/20/88	5.00	12/16/88	HSU
International Paper Co.		H70PAC	07/16/88	9.30	11/04/88	HSU
International Paper Co.		H70PAC1	07/16/88	10.00	11/04/88	HSU
International Paper Co.		H70PCC	07/16/88	17.00	12/16/88	HSU
International Paper Co.		H70PCC1	07/16/88	16.00	12/16/88	HSU
Leaf River Forest Product ^a	New Augusta	H45	02/27/88	14.00	02/17/89	CAL
Leaf River Forest Products	New Augusta	H35SPC0	02/27/88	13.00	02/17/89	CAL
Head Corporation	MT	H2105	12/15/87	16.00	03/09/88	CAL
Head Corporation	MT	H2106	12/15/87	15.00	03/21/88	CAL
Potlatch Corp.	TD	H45PC	07/26/88	45.00	12/02/88	HSU
Potlatch Corp.	ID	H54PC1	07/26/88	37.00	12/02/88	HSU
Alabama River Pulp	AL	H21PC1	06/07/88	3.90	11/11/88	HSU
Alabama River Pulp	GA	H47PAC1	06/07/88	3.60	11/11/88	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp	AL	H63PC	06/17/88	14.00	11/11/88	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp	AL	H63PC1	06/17/88	19.0	12/23/88	HSU
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	GA	H47PAC	08/26/88	6.40	11/25/88	HSU
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	GA	H47PAC1	08/26/88	6.10	11/25/88	HSU
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	PA	H47PBC	08/26/88	1.80	11/25/88	HSU
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	PA	H47PBC1	08/26/88	1.60	11/25/88	HSU
Champion International	NY	QIP	12/15/87	7.00	03/09/88	CAL
Champion International	NY	QIP	12/15/87	7.00	10/06/88	HSU
Champion International	NC	C19300	01/15/88	2.60	09/30/88	CAL
Champion International	FL	C19300	01/15/88	2.60	03/21/88	CAL
Champion International	FL	C19302	01/15/88	2.60	03/21/88	CAL
Champion International	NC	H47C100-5000	04/21/88	3.40	07/01/88	HSU
Champion International	NC	H47C100-5000	04/21/88	4.00	10/06/88	HSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	MA	H45PC	07/22/88	2.50	12/09/88	HSU
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	MA	H45PC1	07/22/88	3.30	06/19/89	CAL
Scott Paper Co.	PA	H45PC1	06/28/88	6.50	11/18/88	HSU
Scott Paper Co.	ME	H45PC1	06/28/88	7.50	11/18/88	HSU
Simpson Paper Co.	TX	H45PAC	10/08/88	14.00	12/23/88	HSU
Simpson Paper Co.	TX	H45PAC1	10/08/88	19.00	12/23/88	HSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H45PAC	06/06/88	1.80	12/09/88	HSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H45PAC1	06/06/88	1.80	12/09/88	HSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H45PBC	08/06/88	6.10	12/30/88	HSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H45PBC1	08/06/88	6.30	12/30/88	HSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H45PAC	08/02/88	1.70	12/02/88	HSU
Weyerhaeuser Co.	WA	H45PAC1	08/02/88	1.50	12/02/88	HSU

A-3. TEST/TEST FIELD SURVEYS (CONTINUED)

		MATRIX-BLUE (ppm)				MATRIX-ORANGE (ppm)			
Company	City	Sample ID	Sample Date	TCDP	TCDP Date	TCDF	TCDF Date	Lab	
International Paper Co.	Terrekania	H99SEC	08/06/88	74.00	01/03/89	1000.00	01/03/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	Fairbanks	H99SEC1	08/06/88	01.00	01/03/89	600.00	01/03/89	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Cleiborne	H21SEC	06/07/88	81.00	12/06/88	373.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Cleiborne	H21SEC1	06/07/88	73.50	12/06/88	393.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Cleiborne	H21SEC2	06/07/88	55.00	01/16/89	342.00	01/16/89	CAL	
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	H99SEC	06/17/88	18.00	12/22/88	147.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	H99SEC1	06/17/88	16.00	12/22/88	169.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Champion International	Canton	H9471100-5000	04/21/88	155.00	07/01/88	07/01/88	07/01/88	HSU	
Champion International	Canton	HC	04/21/88	172.00	10/06/88	260.00	10/06/88	HSU	
Federal Paper Board Co.	Ridgefieldwood	H16SEC	12/13/88	3.50	04/19/89	5.20	04/19/89	CAL	
Federal Paper Board Co.	Ridgefieldwood	H16SEC0	12/13/88	2.50	04/19/89	3.30	04/19/89	CAL	
Federal Paper Co.	Hinckley	H618CA	06/26/88	33.00	12/06/88	106.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Scott Paper Co.	Hinckley	H618CA1	06/26/88	39.00	12/06/88	149.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Scott Paper Co.	Facoma	H41SC	10/29/88	39.10	06/19/89	101.00	06/19/89	CAL	
Stinson Paper Co.	Facoma	H41SC D	10/29/88	39.00	06/19/89	106.00	06/19/89	CAL	
Stinson Paper Co.	Langvilles	H455C-L	08/02/88	35.00	12/22/88	80.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Heyerhauser Co.	Langvilles	H455C1-L	08/02/88	35.00	12/22/88	84.00	12/22/88	CAL	
Heyerhauser Co.	New Bern	H41SC	08/13/88	373.00	12/19/88	1920.00	12/19/88	CAL	
Heyerhauser Co.	New Bern	H455C1	08/13/88	313.00	12/19/88	1600.00	12/19/88	CAL	
Heyerhauser Co.	New Bern	HC	08/13/88	313.00	12/19/88	1600.00	12/19/88	CAL	
Georgetown	Georgetown	H10SEC	07/16/88	640.00	11/22/88	1600.00	11/22/88	CAL	
Georgetown	Georgetown	H99EC	07/16/88	490.00	11/22/88	1500.00	11/22/88	CAL	
Terrekania	Terrekania	H99EC	08/06/88	13.00	11/22/88	43.00	11/22/88	CAL	
Terrekania	Terrekania	H99EC1	08/06/88	16.00	11/22/88	44.00	11/22/88	CAL	
Licenderosa	Hi	H99EC	06/24/88	16.00	11/04/88	150.00	11/04/88	CAL	
Green Bay	Hi	H121EC	06/24/88	19.00	06/28/88	72.00	06/28/88	CAL	
Green Bay Corp.	Hi	H721EC1	07/26/88	13.00	06/28/88	54.00	06/28/88	CAL	
Jesse River Corp.	ID	H99SEC	07/26/88	71.00	11/13/88	360.00	11/13/88	CAL	
Potlatch Corp.	Idaho Falls	H99SEC1	07/26/88	79.00	11/13/88	320.00	11/13/88	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Cleiborne	H21SEC	06/07/88	43.00	11/04/88	250.00	11/04/88	CAL	
Alabama River Pulp	Cleiborne	H21SEC1	06/07/88	40.00	11/04/88	250.00	11/04/88	CAL	
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	H99SEC	06/17/88	45.00	01/03/89	210.00	01/03/89	CAL	
Boise Cascade Corp.	Jackson	H99SEC1	06/17/88	95.00	01/26/89	340.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Georgia	H47EC	08/26/88	120.00	01/26/89	630.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Brunswick Pulp and Paper	Georgia	H47EC1	08/26/88	30.00	12/06/88	68.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Scott Paper Co.	Georgia	H41EC	08/26/88	30.00	12/06/88	50.00	12/06/88	CAL	
Scott Paper Co.	Georgia	H41EC1	08/26/88	15.00	12/19/88	63.00	12/19/88	CAL	
Stinson Paper Co.	Facoma	H41SC	10/29/88	10.00	05/31/89	26.00	05/31/89	CAL	
Stinson Paper Co.	Facoma	H41SC1	10/29/88	10.00	05/31/89	22.00	05/31/89	CAL	
Heyerhauser Co.	Langvilles	H455C-L	08/02/88	10.00	11/15/88	37.00	11/15/88	CAL	
Heyerhauser Co.	Langvilles	H455C1-L	08/02/88	0.50	11/15/88	21.00	11/15/88	CAL	

A-4. TCCD/TCPF LAN DOPPLICATES

Company	City	State	MATRIX-PULL (ppt)		TCDP	ICDP Date	Lab
			Sample ID	Sample Date			
International Paper Co.	Jay	NY	KO186367	55.70	04/21/87	181.00	04/21/87
International Paper Co.	Fine Bluff	PA	H51PAC	46.70	08/19/87	183.00	08/19/87
International Paper Co.	Fine Bluff	PA	H51PAC	51.00	11/18/86	667.00	11/18/86
International Paper Co.	Fine Bluff	PA	H51PAC	53.00	11/18/86	661.00	11/18/86
International Paper Co.	Ficonderoga	NY	H9PAC	16.00	11/04/86	103.00	11/04/86
International Paper Co.	Ficonderoga	NY	H9PAC	17.00	11/04/86	106.00	11/04/86
James River Corp.	Glastonbie	GA	K6374612	10.20	04/21/87	54.30	04/21/87
James River Corp.	Glastonbie	GA	K6374612	11.00	08/19/87	64.40	08/19/87
James River Corp.	Glastonbie	GA	K6374661	12.00	04/21/87	63.90	04/21/87
James River Corp.	Glastonbie	GA	K6374661	14.00	12/02/86	12.02/86	NSU
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	WA	H53PAC	06/29/86	06/19/89	28.00	06/19/89
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	WA	H53PAC	06/29/86	06/19/89	26.00	06/19/89
Longview Fibre Co.	Longview	WA	H74PC00	06/27/86	04/19/89	12.00	04/19/89
Boise Cascade Corp.	Sp. Helens	OR	H74PC00	02/24/89	04/19/89	11.00	04/19/89
Boise Cascade Corp.	Sp. Helens	OR	H74PC00	02/24/89	03/19/87	333.00	04/21/87
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	MN	P0020902	15.20	04/21/87	7.68	04/21/87
Boise Cascade Corp.	International Falls	MN	P0020902	16.30	04/21/87	7.90	08/19/87
Champion International	Bethel	PA	DP024411	01/15/86	09/30/86	4.10	09/30/86
Champion International	Bethel	PA	CPB300	01/15/86	03/22/86	0.70	03/21/86
Champion International	Cantonment	PA	CPB300	01/15/86	09/30/86	2.20	09/30/86
Champion International	Cantonment	PA	CPB300	03/15/86	03/22/86	0.90	03/21/86
Champion International	Cantonment	PA	CPB300	01/15/86	01/12/89	1.30	01/17/86
Federal Paper Board Co.	Riegelwood	NC	H51PAC	12/13/86	01/12/89	1.50	01/17/86
Federal Paper Board Co.	Riegelwood	NC	H51PAC	12/13/86	01/12/89	13.00	01/12/89
P.H. Gleatfelter Co.	Spring Grove	PA	H64PCT00	10/28/86	01/12/89	18.00	01/12/89
P.H. Gleatfelter Co.	Spring Grove	PA	H64PCT00	10/28/86	01/12/89	1.00	11/11/86
Scott Paper Co.	Waukegan	IL	H64PCT	06/13/86	01/12/89	1.40	11/11/86
Scott Paper Co.	Waukegan	IL	H92PC	06/13/86	01/12/89	5.70	11/03/86
Union Camp Corp.	Franklin	VA	UC3600	05/08/86	11/03/86	6.90	11/03/86
Union Camp Corp.	Franklin	VA	UC3600	05/08/86	12/09/86	55.00	12/09/86
Westvaco Corp.	Nichliffe	NY	H78PAC	07/23/86	12/09/86	54.00	12/09/86
Westvaco Corp.	Nichliffe	NY	H80PAC	07/23/86	12/09/86		

A-4. TCDP/TCDF LAN PARTICLES (CONTINUED)

PARTICLE-SAMPLE (PPS)		Sample ID	Sample Date	TCDP Date	TCDF Date	Lab
W4	H4	H54SC	07/32/88	3.20	12/22/88	68.00
W4	H4	H56SC	07/32/88	4.19	06/28/89	56.00
W4	AL	H101SC	08/14/88	51.00	12/01/88	12/06/88
W4	AL	H101SC	08/14/88	37.00	10/06/89	107.00
W4	PA	H103SC	08/19/88	121.40	12/22/88	3.00
W4	PA	H103SC	08/19/88	0.20	03/01/89	3.10
W4	HE	H21066317		123.00	04/21/87	HSU
W4	HE	H21066342		168.00	08/15/87	HSU
W4	HE	HG1866374		161.00	08/24/87	HSU
W4	HE	HG1866377		161.00	08/24/87	HSU
W4	TX	H67SC	08/06/88	21.00	01/03/89	1000.00
W4	TX	H67SC	08/06/88	6.00	06/19/89	01/03/89
W4	TX	H67SC	08/19/88	164.00	12/19/88	CAL
W4	HE	H67SC	08/19/88	6.00	06/19/89	HSU
W4	HE	H67SC	08/19/88	6.00	06/19/89	HSU
W4	AM	H311SC	08/15/88	3.50	06/29/89	08/26/87
W4	AM	H311SC	08/15/88	0.10	06/26/87	HSU
W4	ON	DR026601		3.37	04/21/87	04/21/87
W4	ON	DR026601		3.47	04/19/87	04/21/87
W4	ON	DR0266020		37.40	03/19/87	06/29/89
W4	ON	DR0266020		35.50	04/21/87	03/19/87
W4	ON	H222SC10	07/23/88	2.10	11/03/88	732.00
W4	GA	H222SC10	07/23/88	2.10	11/03/88	6.10
W4	GA	H222SC19	07/23/88	2.10	11/03/88	3.00
W4	TX	PF024413		17.60	03/19/87	01/31/89
W4	TX	PF024413		19.20	03/19/87	03/19/87
W4	TX	PF024496		86.21/87	35.70	03/19/87
W4	TX	PF024496		97.40	03/19/87	04/21/87
W4	W4	H211SC		9.40	12/19/88	HSU
W4	W4	H211SC		11.10	06/29/89	12/19/88
W4	PY	H41SC	01/13/89	3.70	06/29/89	CAL
W4	PY	H41SC	01/13/89	1.10	06/29/89	06/29/89
W4	PA	H43SC	07/06/88	2.30	06/29/89	CAL
W4	PA	H42SC	07/06/88	0.10	01/03/89	0.70
W4	PA	H41SC	10/29/88	3.00	06/19/89	01/03/89
W4	PA	H43SC1-L	08/02/88	32.00	12/22/88	06/19/89
W4	PA	H43SC1-L	08/02/88	31.00	03/01/89	03/01/89
W4	TN	H77SC	08/24/88	12/22/88	89.00	12/22/88
W4	TN	H77SC	08/24/88	4500.00	02/14/89	14000.00
AR	AR	H668AC1	09/02/88	12/22/88	740.00	12/22/88
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A-4. TCDP/TCDT LAB DIPATCHES (CONTINUED)

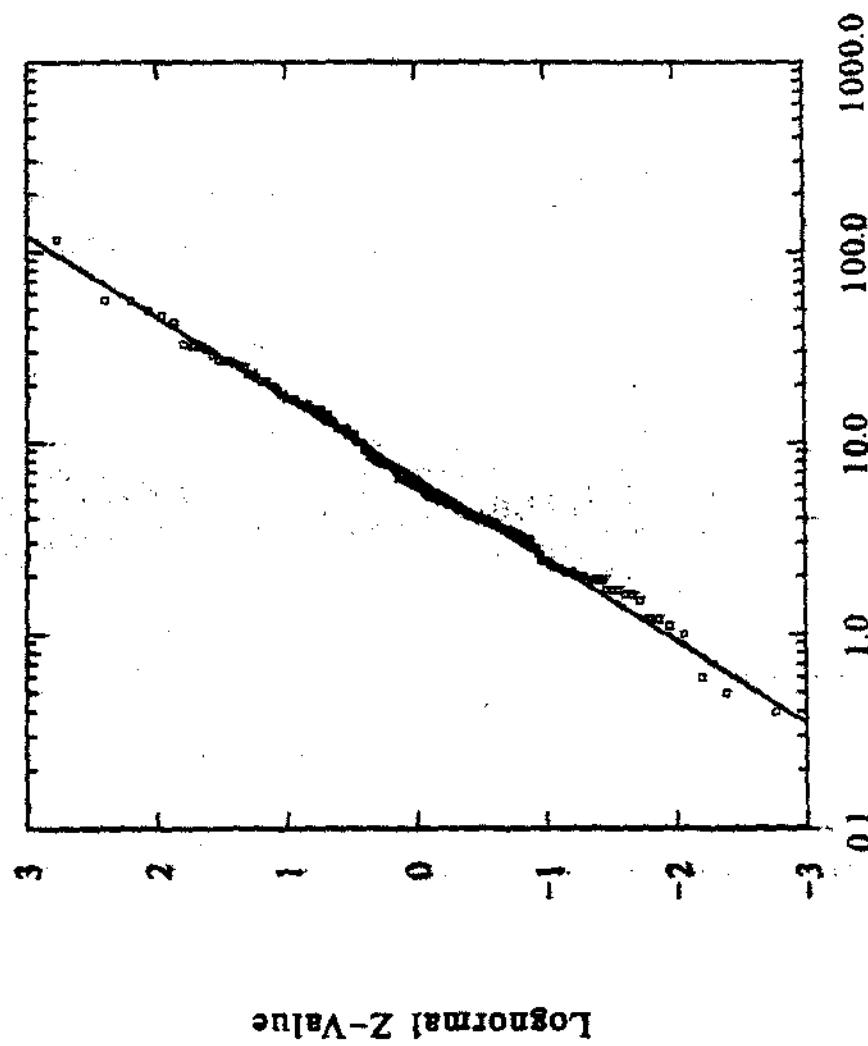
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		Site#	Sample ID					
Badger Paper Mills, Inc.	W7	H6EAC	07/22/88	1-60	11/15/88	280.00	11/15/88	CAL
Badger Paper Mills, Inc.	H7	H6EBC	07/22/88	1-49	06/28/89	170.00	06/28/89	CAL
Badger Paper Mills, Inc.	W1	H6EDC	07/22/88	1-59	11/15/88	110.00	11/15/88	CAL
Badger Paper Mills, Inc.	W2	H6EBC	07/21/88	2-39	06/28/89	130.00	06/28/89	CAL
Prestige	W3	H5EBC	07/22/88	4-29	11/15/88	14.00	11/15/88	CAL
Brockway	W4	H5EBC	07/22/88	4-98	06/28/89	2.10	06/28/89	CAL
Brockway Co.	W5	H3A86380	10/18	07/07/87	447.00	07/07/87	HSU	
Wausau Paper Mills Co.	W6	H5A86388	-	93-39	01/30/87	441.00	01/30/87	HSU
Wausau Paper Mills Co.	W7	H3A86384	-	89-49	08/26/87	359.00	08/26/87	HSU
International Paper Co.	AL	H7EBC	10/24/88	109-09	01/03/89	850.00	01/03/89	CAL
International Paper Co.	AL	H7ECD	10/24/88	105-31/89	490.00	05/31/89	CAL	
International Paper Co.	GA	H6EAC	07/22/88	21-09	11/22/88	11.00	11/22/88	CAL
International Paper Co.	GA	H8EAC1	07/24/88	11-09	05/31/89	4.20	05/31/89	CAL
ITR-Rayonier, Inc.	CA	H674645	-	13-79	07/09/87	133.00	07/09/87	HSU
James River Corp.	OR	H674645	-	14-59	11/16/87	110.00	09/30/87	HSU
James River Corp.	OR	H7EAC	-	11-99	12/06/88	61.00	12/06/88	CAL
James River Corp.	WI	H7EAC	-	16-00	06/28/89	72.00	06/28/89	CAL
James River Corp.	WI	H7EAC	11/20/88	01/26/89	320.00	01/26/89	CAL	
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	CA	H7EBC10	11/20/88	07-99	01/31/89	170.00	05/31/89	CAL
Louisiana Pacific Corp.	CA	H7EBC10D	11/20/88	11-99	03/16/87	210.00	02/12/87	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	IN	DE20922	-	139-09	02/12/87	-	-	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	IN	DE20922	-	111-00	02/12/87	-	-	HSU
Boise Cascade Corp.	TX	DPF24512	-	111-30	07/09/87	6.90	07/09/87	HSU
Champion International	TX	DPF24512	-	111-20	09/30/87	6.70	09/30/87	HSU
Champion International	TX	DPF24512	-	111-10	11/16/87	-	-	HSU
Champion International	TX	H1EBC	10/07/88	01/03/89	86.00	01/03/89	CAL	
Champion International	TX	H1EBC1	10/01/88	-	11.00	01/13/89	CAL	
Champion International	TX	H1EBC2	10/07/88	3-59	05/31/89	5.80	05/31/89	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	LA	H1EBC	07/21/88	190.00	11/22/88	11.00	11/22/88	CAL
Georgia-Pacific Corp.	LA	H1EBC	07/21/88	160.00	04/31/89	3000.00	05/31/89	CAL
Simpson Paper Co.	WA	H1EBC	10/29/88	-	01/03/89	27.00	01/03/89	CAL
Simpson Paper Co.	WA	H1EBC	10/29/88	-	05/31/89	26.00	05/31/89	CAL
Simpson Paper Co.	WA	H1EBC	10/29/88	-	01/03/89	26.00	01/13/89	CAL
Meyerhofer Co.	HI	H2EBC	08/12/88	12-00	12/19/88	24.00	12/19/88	CAL
Meyerhofer Co.	HI	H2EBC	08/12/88	12-00	06/28/89	16.00	06/28/89	CAL

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FIGURE B-1

PULP TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT: DETECTED VALUES ONLY



TCDD Concentration in PPT

FIGURE B-2

PULP TCDF
PROBABILITY PLOT: DETECTED VALUES ONLY

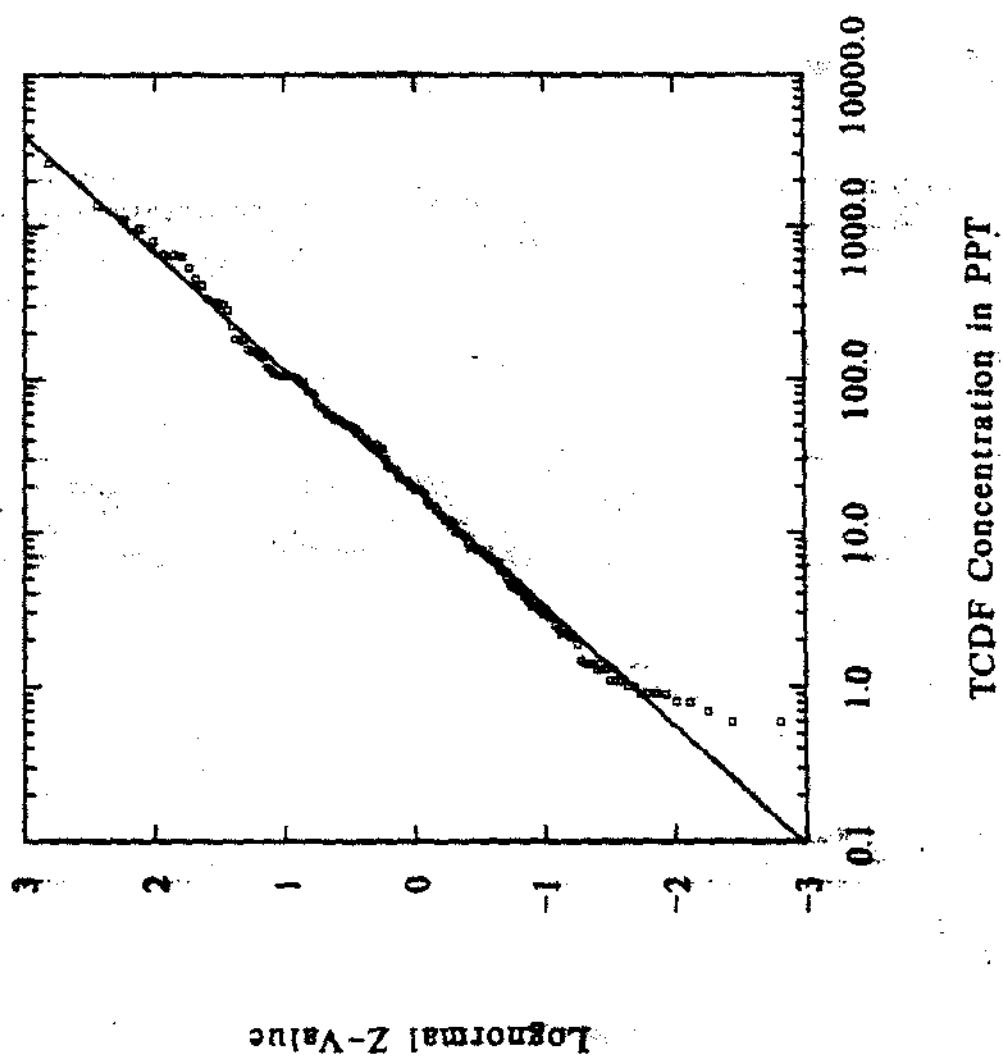


FIGURE B-3

SLUDGE TCDD
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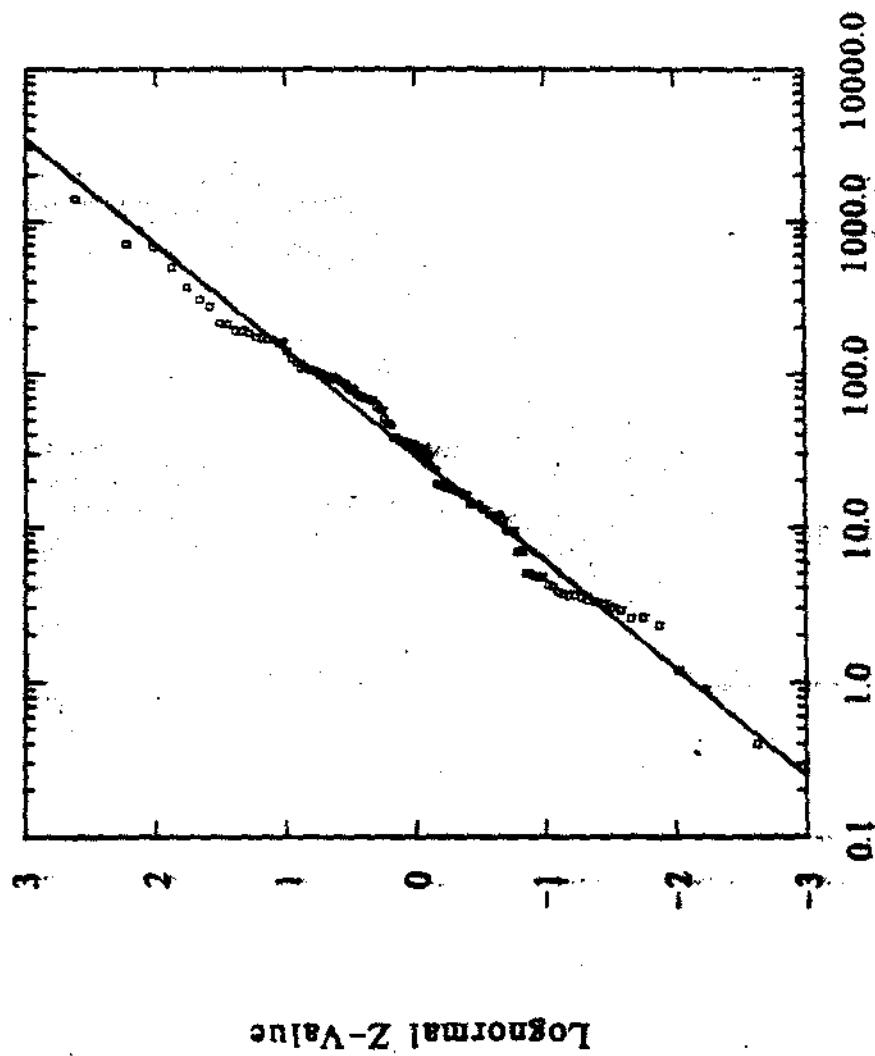


FIGURE B-4

SLUDGE TCDF
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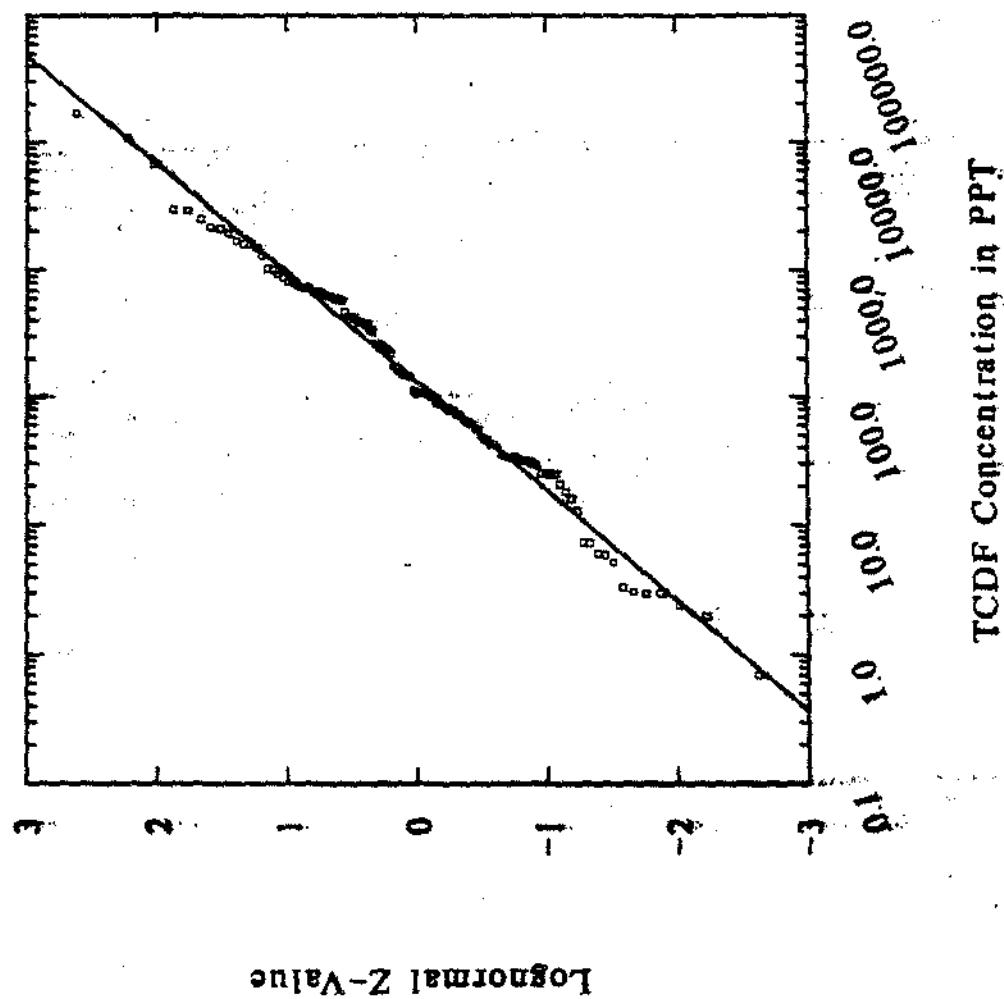
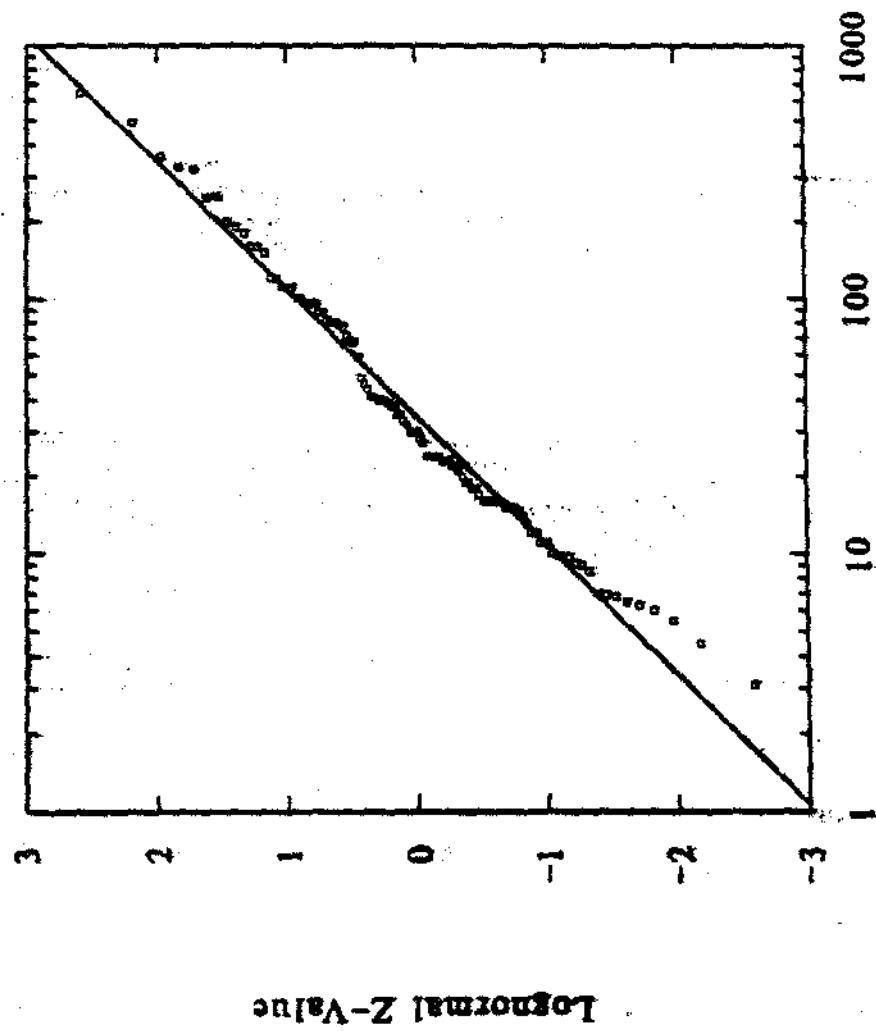


FIGURE B-5

BFFLUENT TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT: DETECTED VALUES ONLY



TCDD Concentration in PPQ

FIGURE B-6

EFFLUENT TCDF
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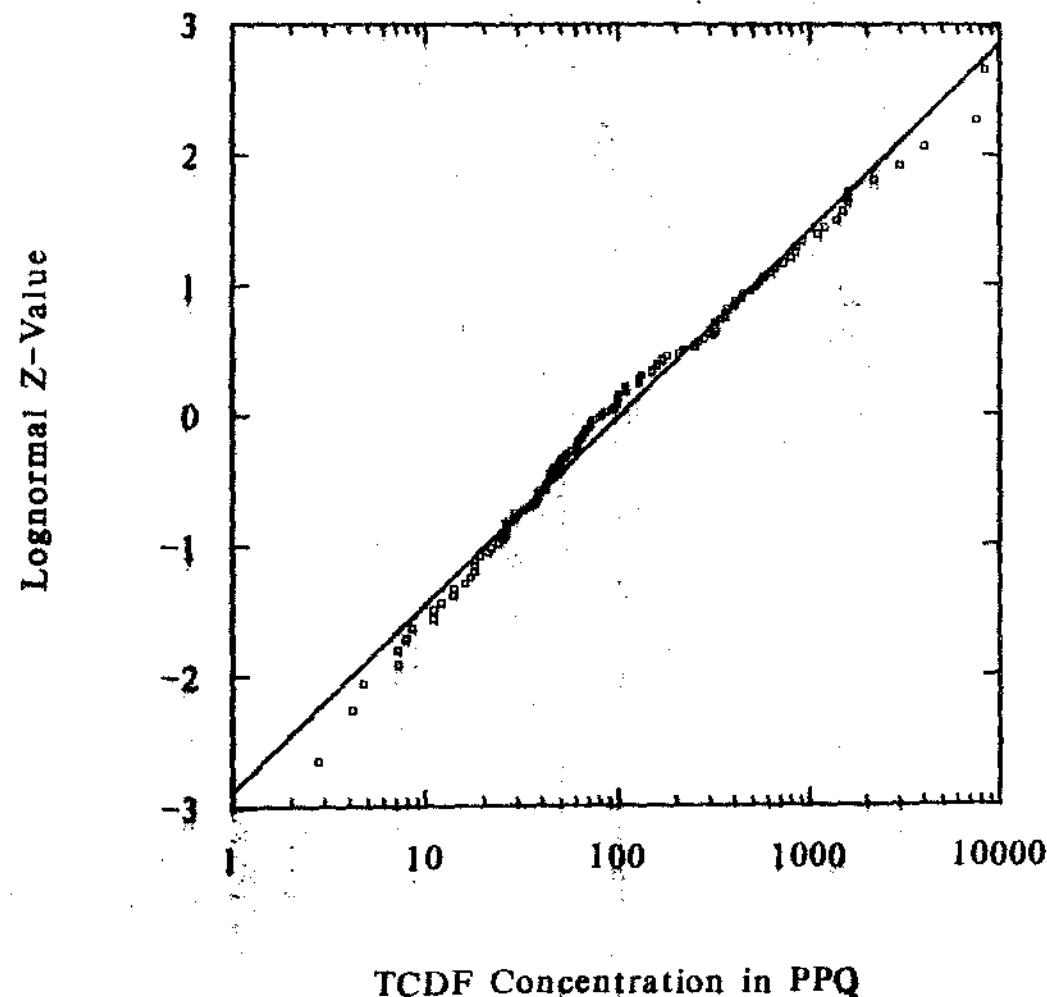
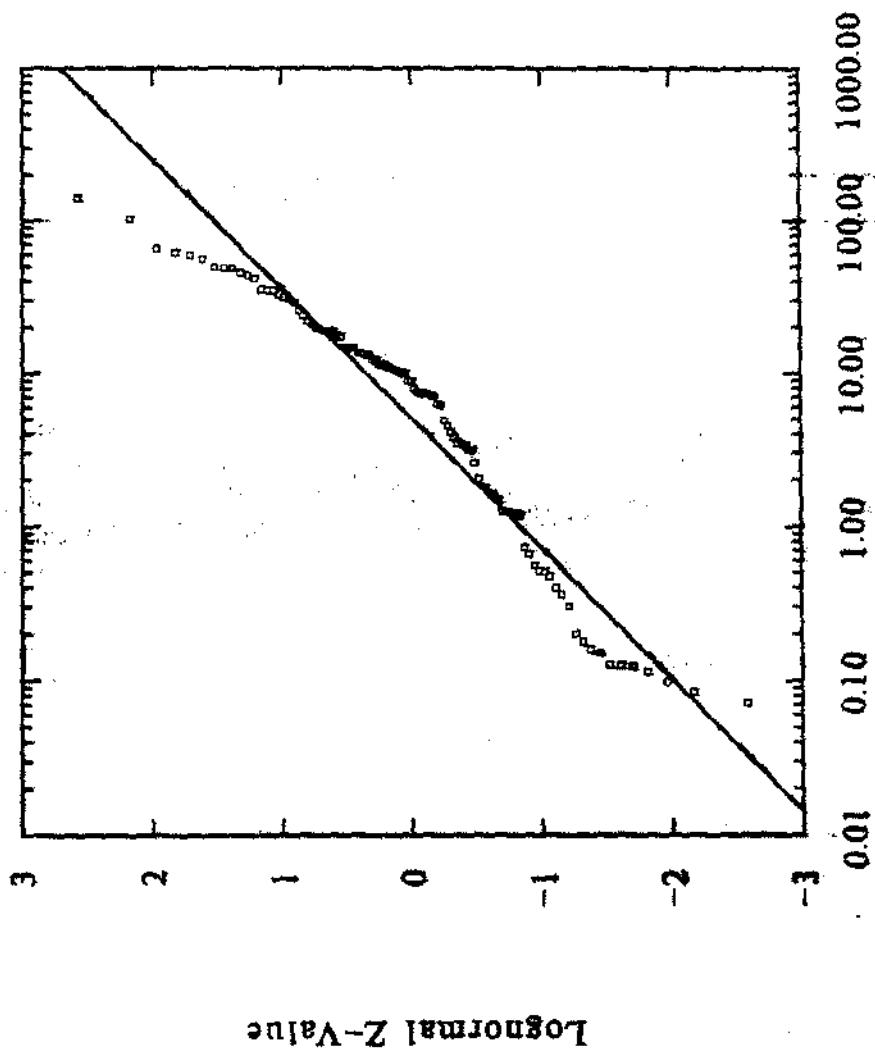


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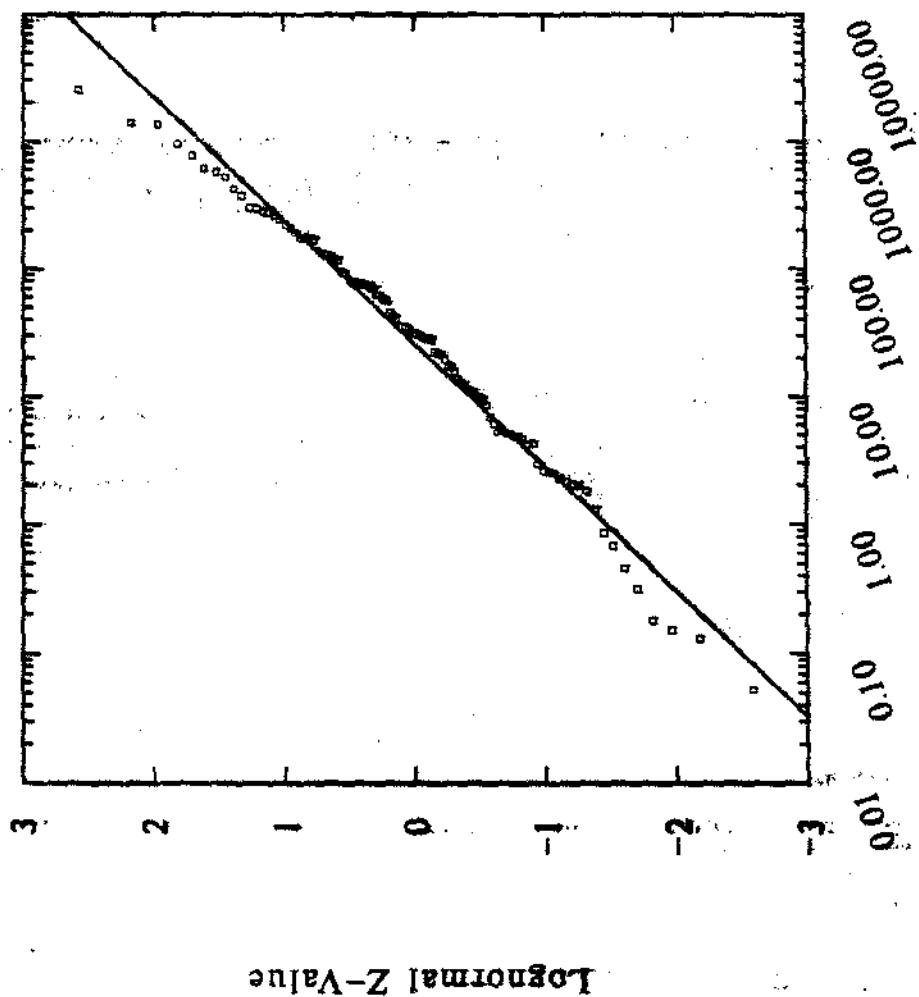
PULP TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT



Pulp TCDD (lbs/day) * E+06

FIGURE B-8

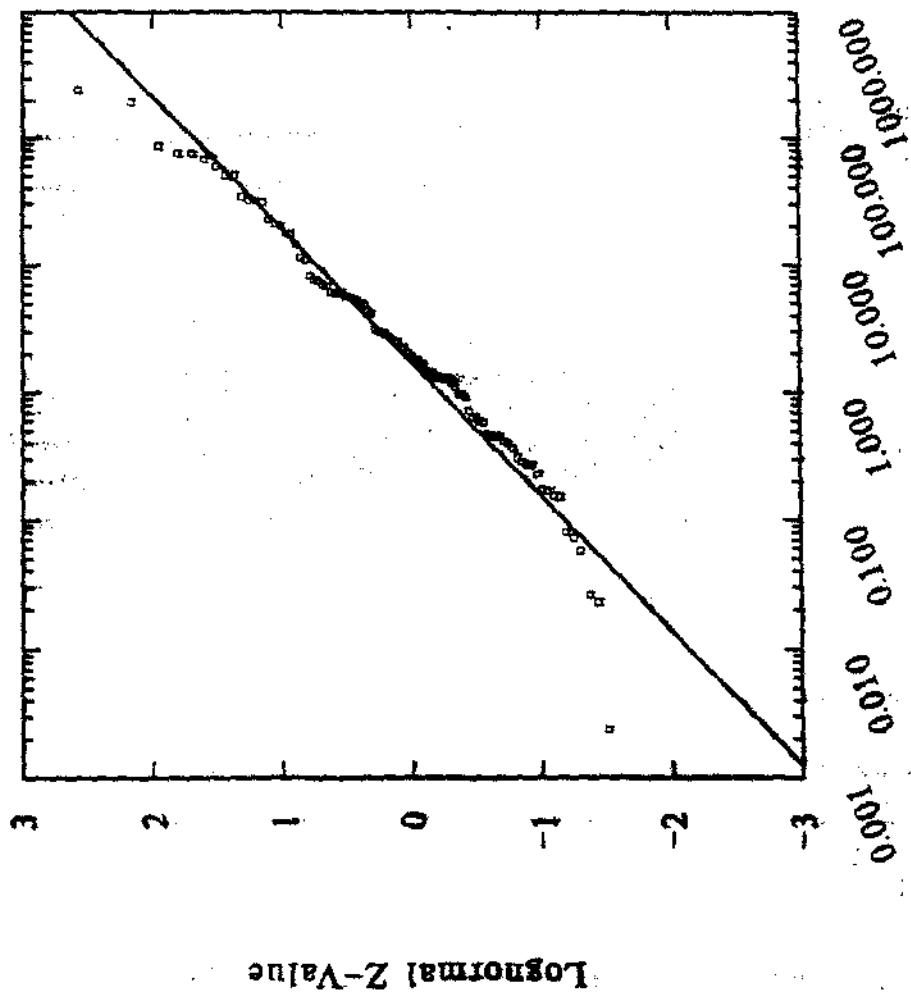
PULP TCDF
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Pulp TCDF (lbs/day) * E+06

FIGURE B-9

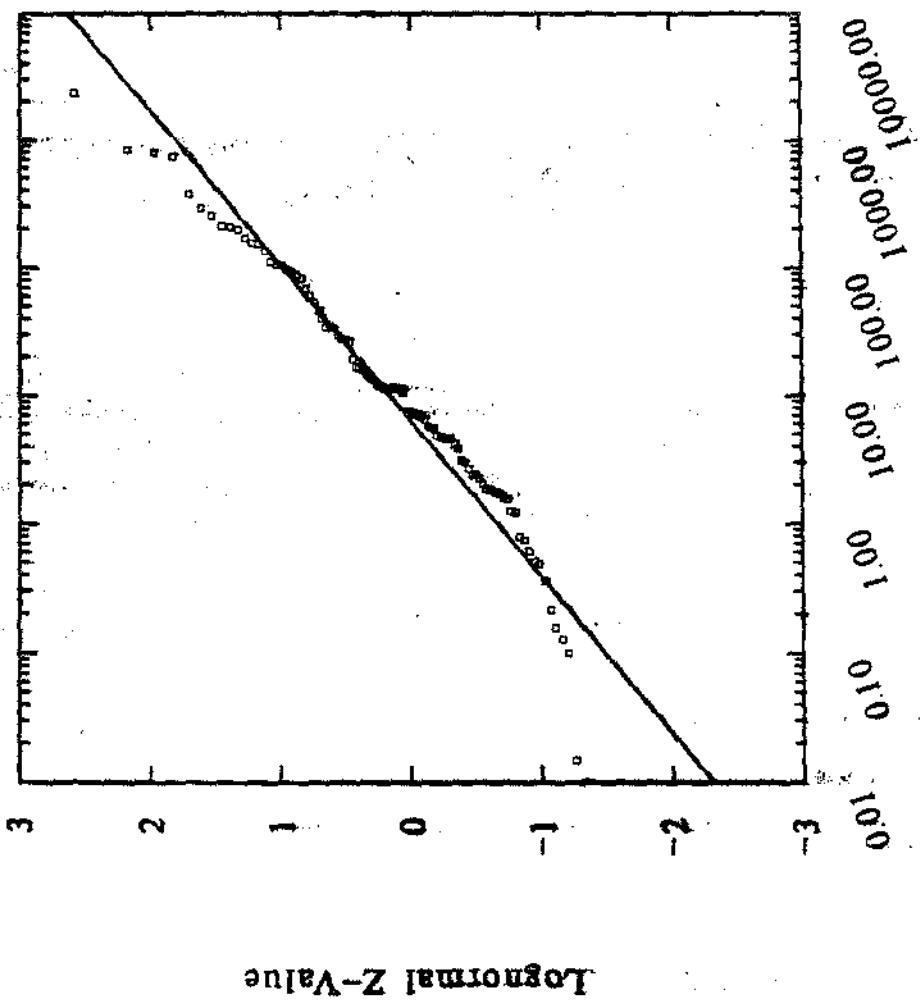
SLUDGE TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT



Sludge TCDD (lbs/day) * E+06

FIGURE B-10

**SLUDGE TCDF
PROBABILITY PLOT**



Sludge TCDF (lbs/day) * E+06

FIGURE B-11

EFFLUENT TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT

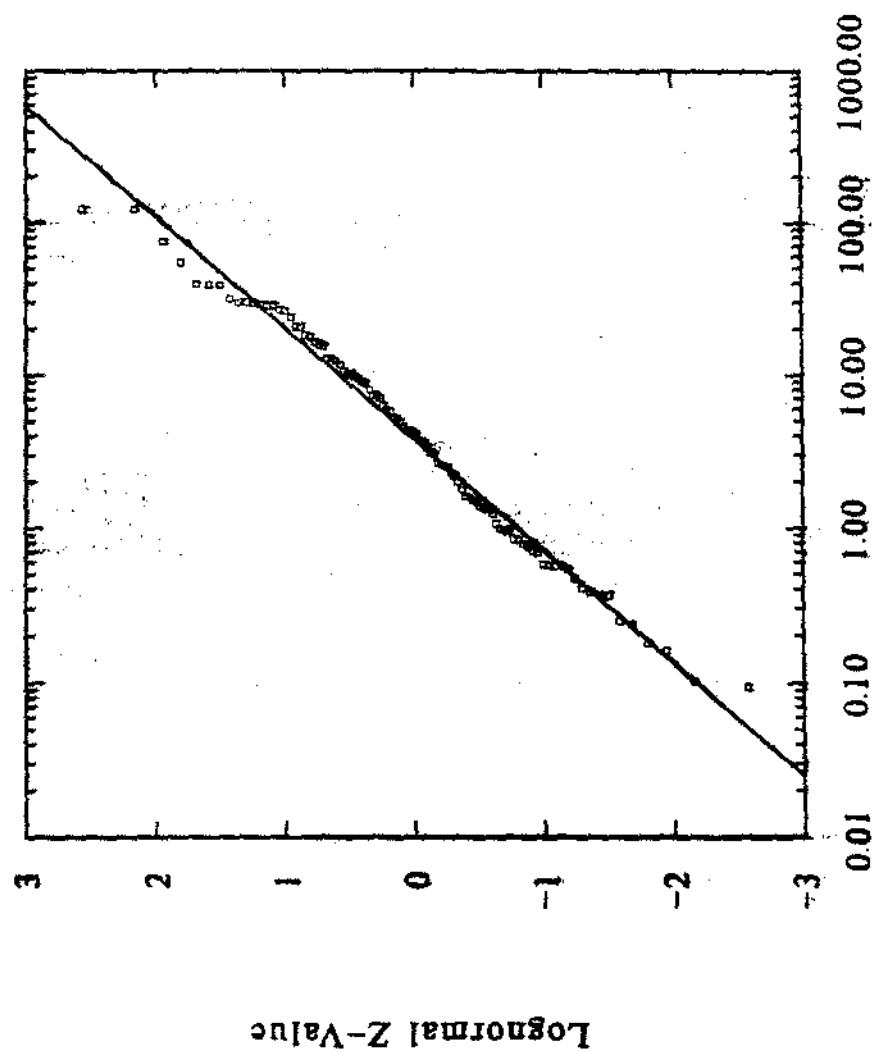
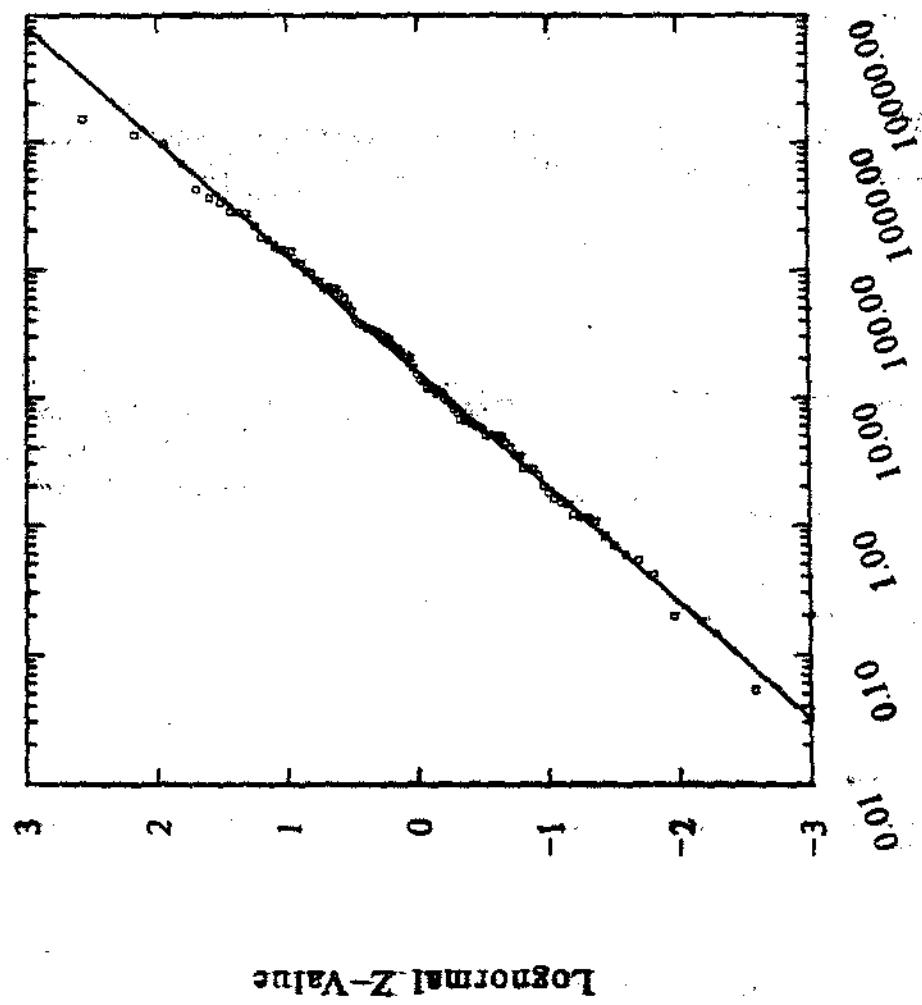


FIGURE B-12

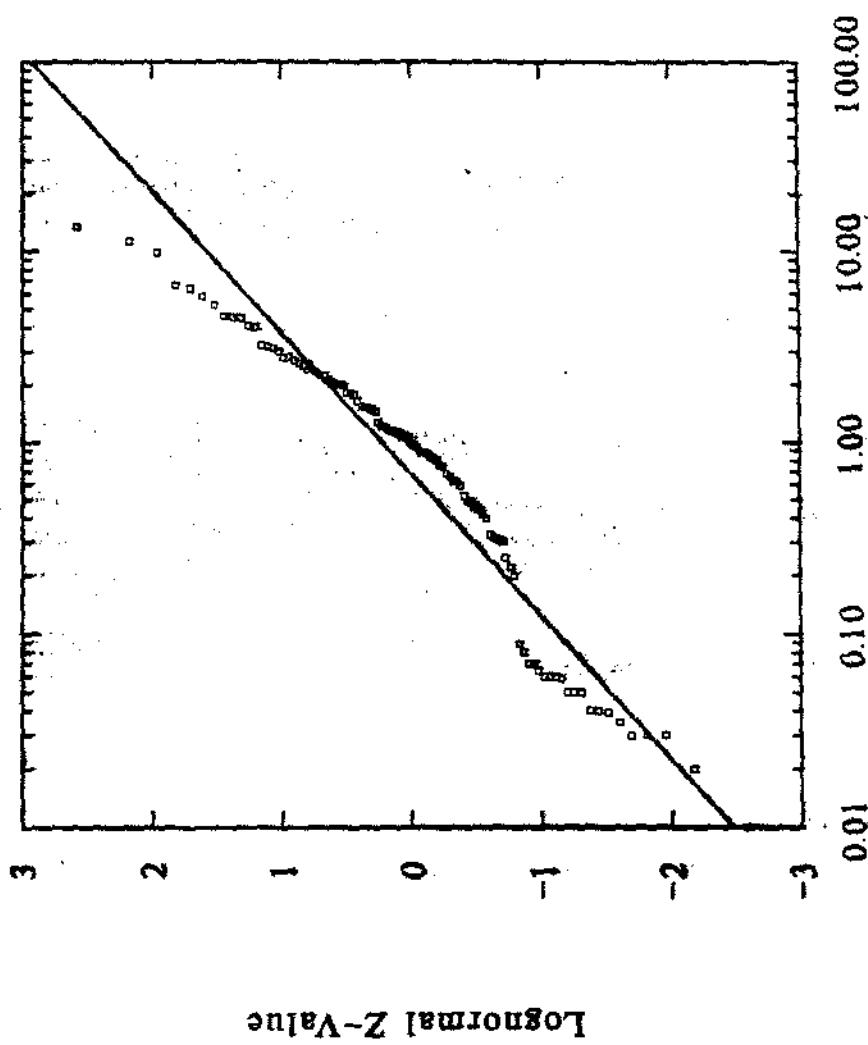
EFFLUENT TCDF
PROBABILITY PLOT



Effluent TCDF (lbs/day) * E+06

FIGURE B-13

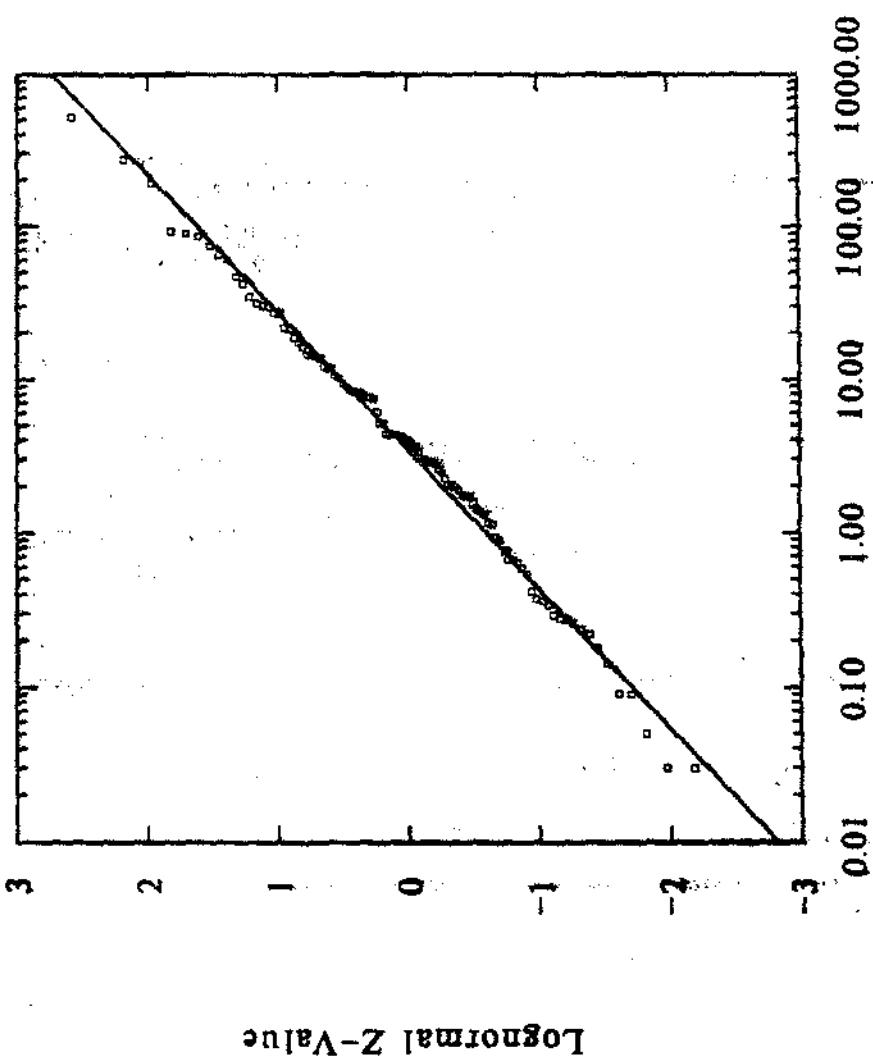
ADJUSTED PULP TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT



Pulp TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP) * E+08

FIGURE B-14

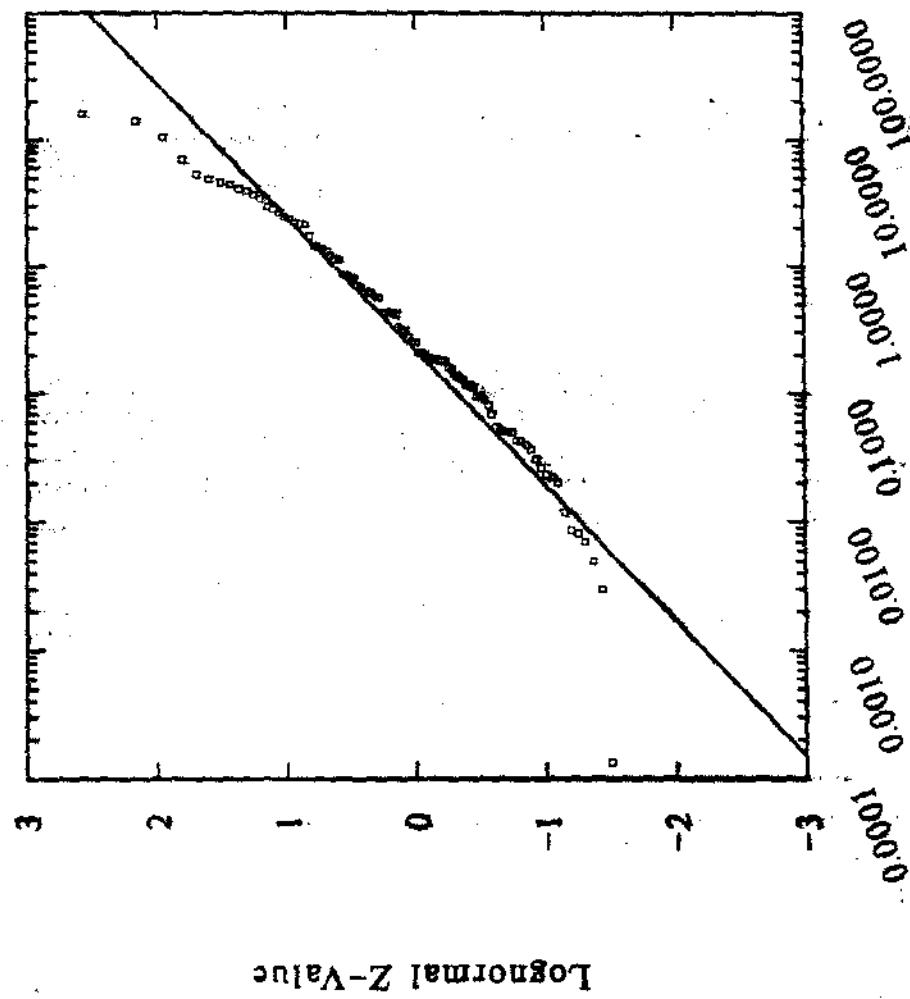
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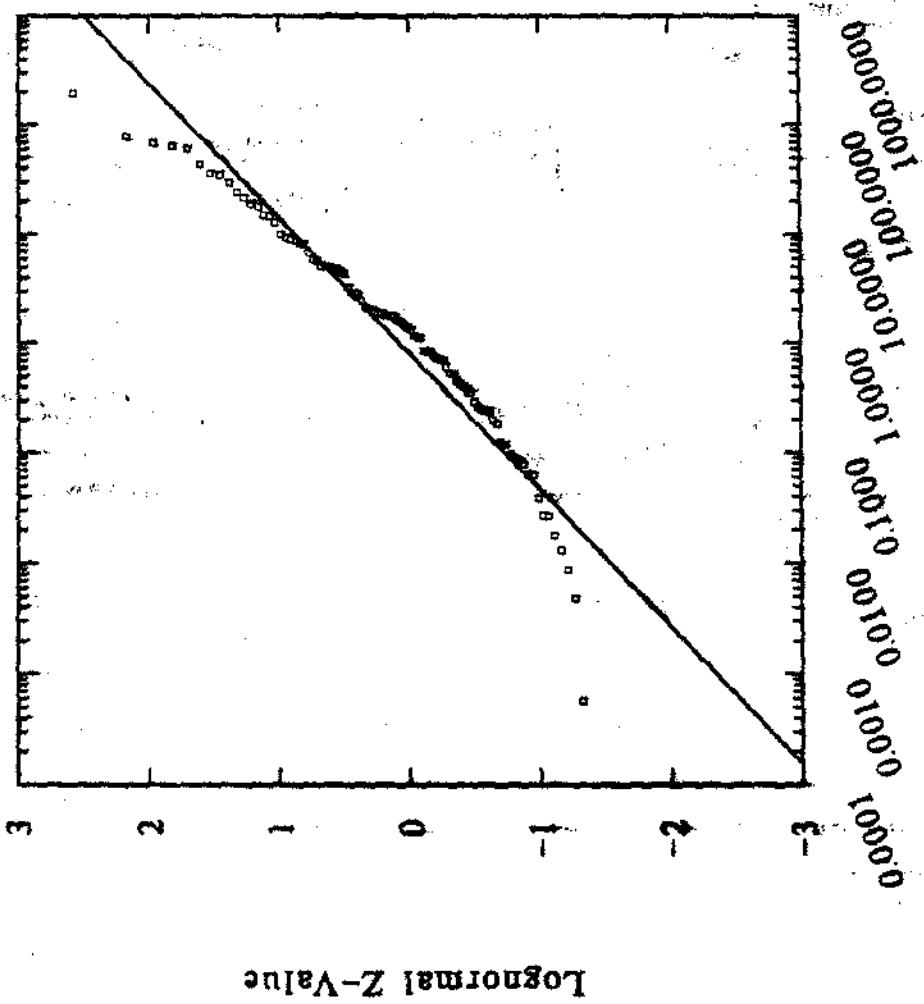
ADJUSTED SLUDGE TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT



Sludge TCDD (lbs/ton ADBSP) * E⁺⁰⁸

FIGURE P-16

ADJUSTED SLUDGE TCDF
PROBABILITY PLOT



Sludge TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP) * E+08

FIGURE B-17

ADJUSTED EFFLUENT TCDD
PROBABILITY PLOT

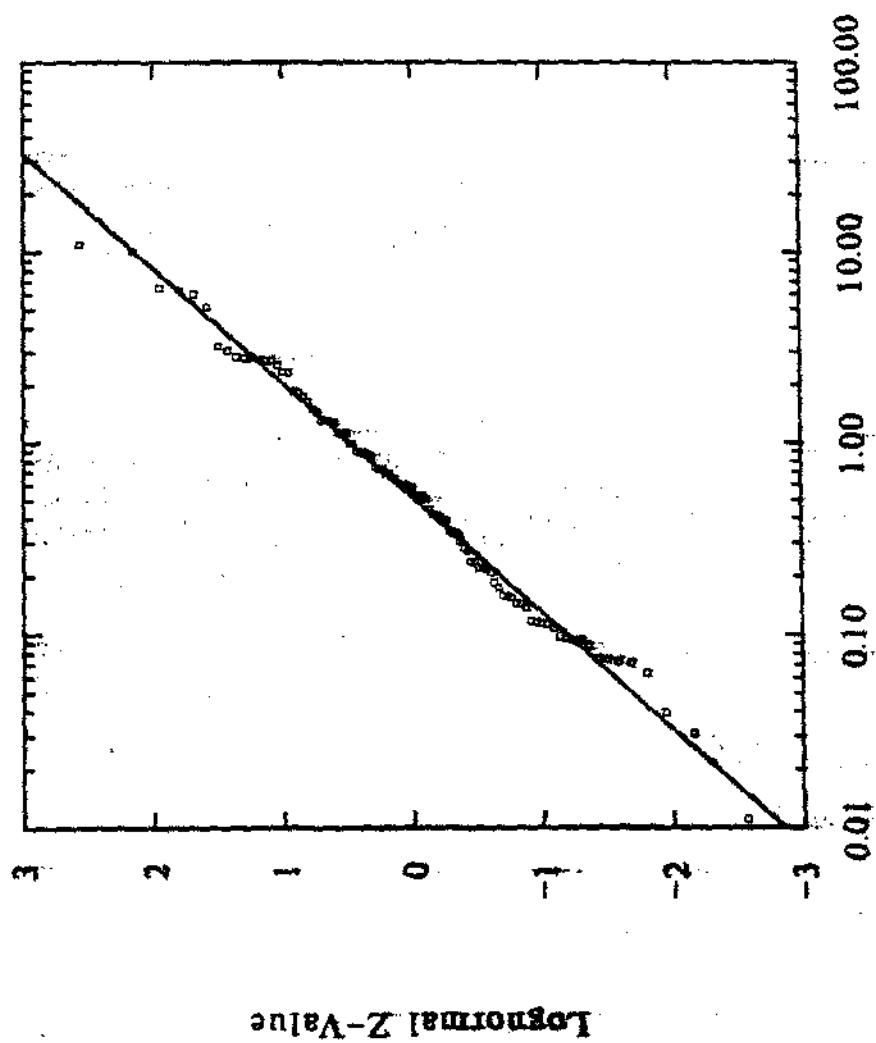
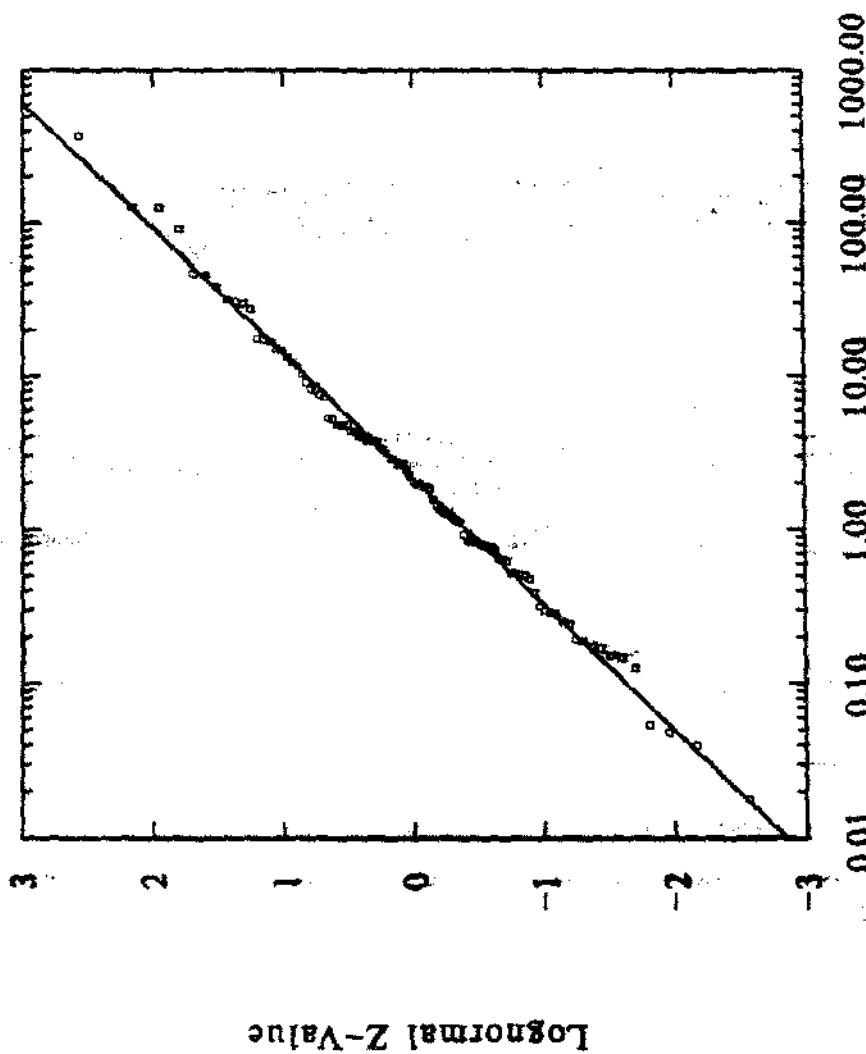


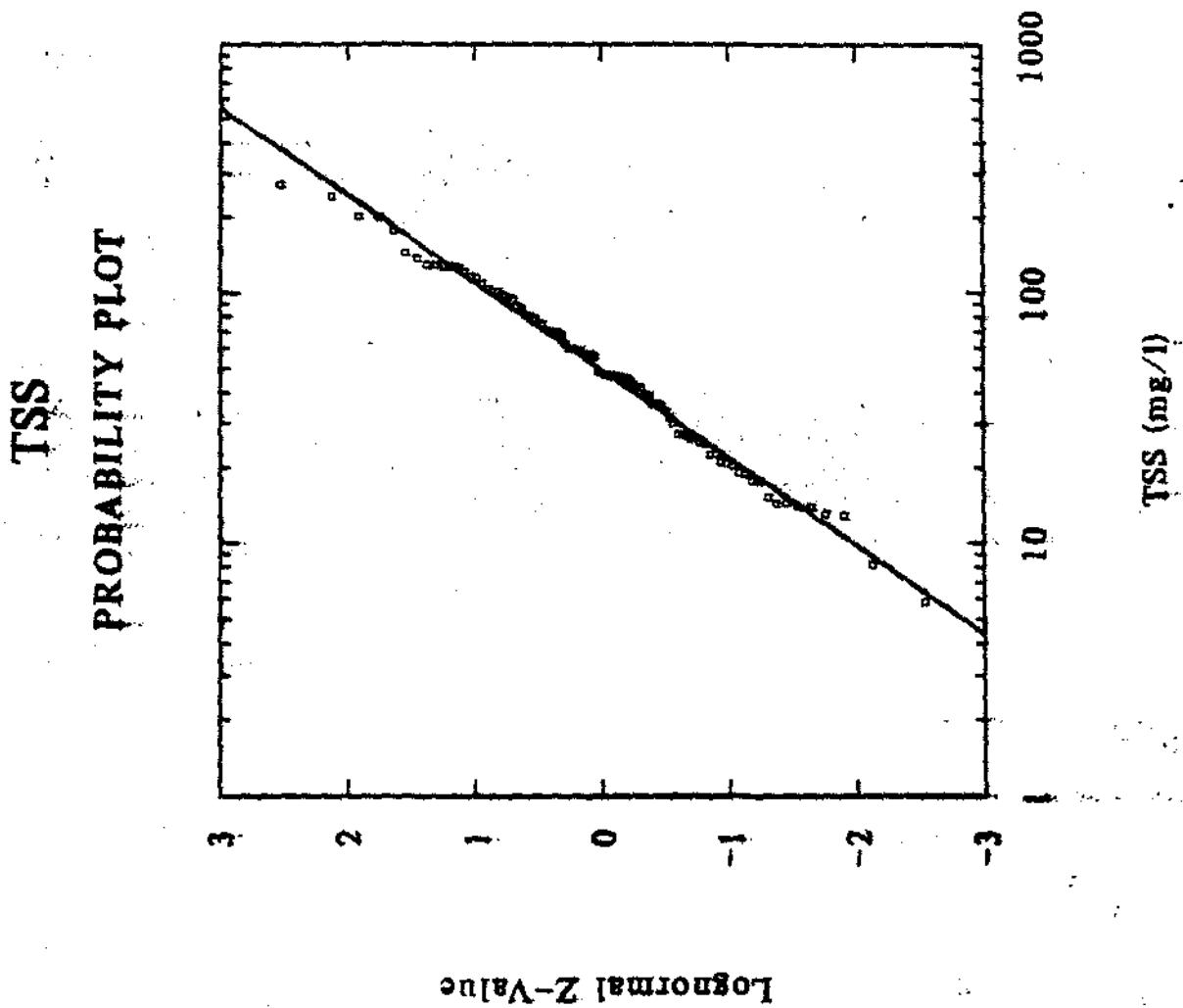
FIGURE B-18

ADJUSTED EFFLUENT TCDF
PROBABILITY PLOT



Effluent TCDF (lbs/ton ADBSP) * E⁺⁰⁸

FIGURE B-19



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